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COUPLE TRIED AS 'SLAVERS'

Charged with having carried on the white slave traffic in Boston, William T. Grunwald and his wife Elsie, who were arrested at their home, No. 60 Batavia Chambers, a week ago yesterday, after a raid by the police of the East Dedham street station, were placed on trial to-day before Chief Justice Bolster in a special session of the Municipal Court.

The man and woman were arrested on the complaint of Beatrice Green, sixteen years old, who was the first witness at the trial to-day. She gave her adress as No 34 Tyler street, Springfield. She was questioned by Assistant District Attorney Nason:

The Girl's Story.

Q.—When did you come to Boston?
A.—I came to Boston Saturday, January 21, 1911.

Q.—Why did you come? A.—I received an invitation from William, and also from my cousin Elsie.

Q.—Now please tell your story of coming here in your own way. A.—I went to the New Richmond Hotel upon my arrival and there telephoned to Mr. Grunwald. He met me at a railroad station. I think it was the Back Bay Station. We then went to Mrs. Bullock's, No. 26 Groveway with park. On the way to Mrs. Bullock's William told me that his wife was kind of "sporty" and went out with other men. We met Elsie at Mrs. Bullock's. That night Elsie and I and a girl named Florence met a man named Ralph. Mrs. Bullock the fare was William Rogers, one of the firemen who was injured, may die.

Cause Not Explained.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but Capitol employes had been complaining about the condition of the electric wires in the building.

Arrangements were soon under way to hold the joint hebef for the erection of a United States Senator, which must be taken under the law, at the City Hall in the Common Council chamber. Senator Roosevelt was notified to this effect and an effort was made to reach all of the members, which was a most difficult mask.

A squad of three men from the Tenth Regiment armory was summoned by Adjutant-General Verbeck to keep the people out of the corridors after the flames were checked. The soldiers were stationed about the halls on the second and third floors to protect the departments and hold the crowd in check. Owing to the altitude of Capitol Hill it was difficult from the first to get a good water pressure. The firemen were criticised, but they were not to blame, Chief Bildgford declared.

Swept by High Wind.

The fire originated in a room on the third floor used by Assemblyman A. J. Levy, chairman of the judiciary committee, and was swept by a high wind across intervening courts to the other wings. The western, southwestern and southwestern wings were destroyed.

At 8 o'clock the fire was still burning in the west wing, but the firemen had it under control.

Among the records destroyed were those of the court of claims which were kept in the assembly library. Part of the above hours the entire fire fighting force of the city battled against the flames, before and Assembly chambers.

The fire, which was well under way, when discovered by a night watchman in Washington avenue, was encouraged by tons of paper in the library rooms and spread rapidly. The doomed wings were a seething furnace when the firemen arrived. Flames, aroused from their long sleep by the excitement added the fire fighters. Many of the men had to leave the buildings to carry out documents and books.

Night Watchman Abiesi was employed to patrol the library wings. The firemen battled their way down and searched the corridors for him while the flames raged, but they were so filled with smoke and the heat became so intense that they were forced back a ter a futile quest.

Senators, State officials, assemblymen and employes of minor importance gathered about the great stone structure during the height of the fire. Senator Bayne of Long Island rushed the firemen mua a time. Assemblyman Terry of Kings County and Assemblyman McGinley of Tompkins County also assisted the firemen.

Wires in Bad Shape.

Employes of the building had been complaining for several days that the insulation was worn from some of the electric wires. The superintendent of the building had requested that this be attended to today. The wires are believed to have started the fire.

There was a terrific crash at 6 o'clock when the roofs of the west, southwest and southwest wings fell. Flames leaped high on the scene at that hour. He placed the loss then at about $2,000,000, but the blaze was still burning fiercely.

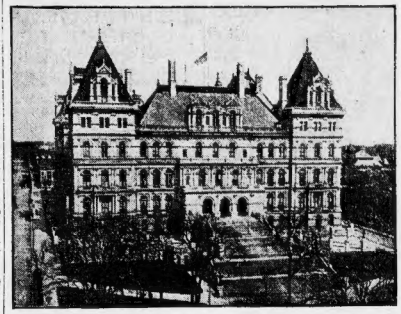
Only a few minutes after the flames were discovered before a stream of water was turned on the burning building. By the time the firemen had reached the dome had gained such headway that it was believed that the entire group comprising the State capitol was doomed. A wind, officials declared, was the cause of the developments where the fire was burning most briskly because of interlocking girders. Lines of hose were landed through the top of the chambers and streams of water directed from the windows.

As soon as the city's entire fire fighting force arrived twenty streams were directed upon the fire from different angles.

The fire was the most spectacular Albany has ever known. The flames could be seen for miles from Capitol Hill.

Many of the records destroyed were in the Colonial and Revolutionary days. The fire swept around the interior of the 50-foot stairwell, which was adorned with paintings of men famous in U. S. State, embroiling the chandelier and causing the greater part of the stairway to crack and crumble.

$10,000,000 FIRE IN NEW YORK CAPITOL



$25,000,000 *Capitol at Albany, which was practically destroyed by fire.*

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—Fire, which destroyed the west, northwest and southwest wings of the $25,000,000 New York State Capitol, was under control at 10 o'clock to-day, after causing a loss of $10,000,000.

Fanned by a high wind, the flames, which broke out at 2 a. m., destroyed the Senate and Assembly Chambers and the library, containing priceless relics and documents.

Stanley Abbott, a night watchman, was burned to death while attempting to fight the flames. William Rogers, one of the firemen who was injured, may die.

BARE SECRETS OF CAMORRA

VITERBO, March 29.—Weak and trembling from an operation which had been performed upon him in his prison cell during the night, Gennaro Abatemaggio, the Camorrist informer again took the witness stand to-day to continue the details of his confession.

The proceedings were constantly interrupted by taunts and threats hurled from the great steel cage containing Enrico Alfano, the Camorrist leader, and his co-defendants.

As Abatemaggio went into the details of the crimes of the Neapolitan band, particularly the murder of Gennaro Cuocolo and his wife, the "beautiful Sorrentina," the cries and accusations from the accused men became so loud that President Bianchi of the Assize Court had to order the carabineers to quiet them.

A slight growth on the upper part of Abatemaggio's right foot was removed by a surgeon and when the informer took the witness stand he limped and placed his bandaged foot on a stool as he took his seat.

Abatemaggio swore that he had received $80 for the part which he had played in the murder of the Cuocolos. The informer said that protests were made against his receiving so large a sum when he had not participated in the actual murders, but these protests were silenced by Alfano. Abatemaggio testified that the reason for his receiving so large a sum was to silence him as to the secrets of the Neapolitan Society. The balance of the $200 murder fund was divided among those who had helped assassinate Cuocolo and his wife, the distributions being made by Alfano in person.

SCHERNI E MINACCE MENTRE SPIA SVELA TUTTI I DELITTI

VITERBO, 29 Marzo.—Debole e tremante per una operazione che ebbe fatta questa notte nella cella della sua prigione, Gennaro Abatemaggio, il traditore dei camorristi, ha ripreso stamane il banco del testimoni per continuare nei dettagli la sua confessione.

Nel giorni precedenti, le confessioni della Abatemaggio sono state sempre interrotte da insulti, grida e minacce provenienti dalla gabbia che rinchiude Enrico Alfano ed i suoi trentotto compagni.

Quando Abatemaggio svelò in tutti i particolari i delitti della banda napoletana e specialmente quello dell'assassinio di Gennaro Cuocolo e della moglie di lui, la bellissima "Sorrentina," in gabbia, le accuse, le ingiurie provenienti dai banchi degli accusati diventarono così frequenti e rumorose che il Presidente della Corte d'Assise cav. Bianchi fu costretto ad ordinare ai carabinieri di farli tacere.

Una piccola sporgenza nella parte superiore del piede destro di Abatemaggio dava a costui fastidio. Le notte scorsa il cerusico Topero, Stamane, quando Abatemaggio prese il posto di testimone, egli aveva il piede fasciato su uno sgabello vicino.

Abatemaggio ha giurato e confessato che, per la parte che egli prese nell'assassinio del coniugi Cuocolo, ebbe lire cento trecento. Egli ha detto che molti dei camorristi presenti per il giuramento a Pescopenne, a lui destinato quattromila non avevano preso parte all'assassinio ma Enrico Alfano ebbe tutti in silenzio. Abatemaggio, che ora gli fa da guida nonostante quel grande male comparire il suo silenzio, ha giurato di rivelare quelli avevano denunziato il Camorrist. Il rimanente della somma decisa per l'assassinio fu fatta da Alfano in persona.

RUN FIRE ENGINE INTO BURNING BLOCK

When pounding up on a disastrous fire in the garage of Alvin T. Baker in Allston, was quickly extinguished by good quick work by Lieutenant Chief Maddern. He responded shortly after 7 o'clock this forenoon and from there upon were carried to the fourth floor and the blaze drowned out. The loss was $2,000.

LEAPS TO HER DEATH IN RIVER

Age—Thirty years.
Weight—140 pounds.
Height—Five feet, 5 inches.
Complexion—Medium.
Hair—Dark brown.
Eyes—Dark brown.
Teeth—Good, with two gold upper teeth.
Jewelry—Gold ring with initial "D," gold brooch ornamented with violet design, silver pencil case.
Clothing—Black serge cravenette suit, new, bought at Filene's. White lace waist, black underskirt, black stockings and shoes. Black kid gloves.

An unidentified young woman jumped from Harvard bridge to-day. The body was taken from the Charles river at 7.20 o'clock by officers of the Metropolitan Park police. The woman was about thirty years old. Her clothing was of very fine quality.

The police were notified of the drowning by William D. Bennett of No. 9 Exeter street, Belmont. Bennett was coming from Belmont and while crossing the Harvard bridge in a trolley car saw the girl jump. He telephoned the police.

Sergeant Binvogel and Patrolmen Dwyer and Maloney put out in the boat and recovered the body on the Cambridge side of the river near the bridge. The body was taken to the North Grove street morgue.

The description given out by Medical Examiner George R. Magrath is that of a woman thirty years old, 5 feet 9 inches tall and weighing 140 pounds. She was of medium complexion and had dark brown hair and eyes.

Gold Ring With Initial "D."

The woman had two gold upper teeth, one of them backed with porcelain. On her finger was a gold ring with the initial "D."

She was dressed in a black serge cheviot tweed suit. As it was apparently very new and had been purchased at Filene's. She wore black kid gloves, a white lace waist, black underskirt, black stockings and lace shoes.

She had a gold brooch pin painted with a violet design. She carried a silver pencil case and a small amount of money.

It is believed that the woman was seen to jump or else seen in the water by several persons. The police received two different notifications of the tragedy. The first came from Bennet, who told the police he had seen the woman jump from the fourth arch of the Harvard Bridge, near the Cambridge side, at 6.40.

Saw Body in Water.

Later a second call was received by the police. They did not get the name of the person calling, but the one telephoning told them he had seen the body of a woman in the water near the Cambridge side of the river.

Dr. Magrath declared that there were no marks of violence on the body. He said that the girl had nourished and that the woman undoubtedly came of good family. The hands were well cared for and showed no traces of hard work.

TWELVE MEN BREAK JAIL AT PORTSMOUTH

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 29.—A posse of county officers and citizens to-day hunted for the twelve men who escaped from the Rockingham County House of Correction in the suburb of Brentwood during the night. The jail breakers, plotting together, secured tools and cut a hole through the ceiling and into the floor above where they are locked up for the night. They broke open a room and secured outfits of good clothing. They forced doors and reached the back stairway. The jail guards did not hear a sound during the night, and the wholesale jail delivery was not discovered until morning. The men were all serving sentences of from six months to a year each, and included Henry Quinn and William Carrier, well known to the police of this city.

CHRISTENS NEW BOAT WITH CARNATIONS

A christen thee good ship Westport, said Miss Helen C. Jordan, a pretty Winthrop girl, to-day, at the Atlantic Works in East Boston, and she tossed against the bow of the vessel a great heap of pink carnations. Then was the passenger steamer Westport launched, and the flowers established a new precedent for launchings. The vessel was built by William McKie and will ply between Portland and Boothbay Harbor. She is a steel vessel of 1,000 tons' port, and is a wooden, screw vessel, 140 feet long.

ENFORCE NEW BAR RULE FEB. 1, 1914

The state bar examiners have voted that the new rule requiring candidates for admission to the bar to complete a high school education shall not go into force until February 1, 1914. It was their original intention to have the rule effective on April 1. Opposition to the rule developed and it was defined to permit the application of the rule to those who had started their studies without the knowledge that the rule was to be adopted.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.
PLEASE ASK for Holland Wine Co.'s price list of Rollston St., or Adams sq., Boston, Mass.

SPRING IN THE GARDEN

They're draining the pond in the Public Garden for repairs. Excitement was caused among the gold fish.

GIRL COMMITS SUICIDE BY GAS

Despondent over a love affair, Lulu McClellan, one of the prettiest girls employed in the big factory of the Waltham Watch Company, was found dead in her room to-day at the Adams House, the company boarding house at Waltham, a suicide by gas. In her mouth was a tube which was connected with an open gas jet. The girl had been dead for hours.

On Monday evening a young man called and talked with the girl for an hour or so, and they parted, apparently the best of friends. At the breakfast table yesterday the girl said:

"There is no more use of my dying. I guess I'll end it all."

Her companions at the table tried to take her out of her despondency, but without success.

To-day gas was smelled on the second floor, and the janitor of the boarding house, Albert Bodge, broke open the door to the girl's room. She was found lying fully dressed on her bed, with the tube in her mouth. Dr. Richard Collins, who was called, said the girl had been dead several hours.

She went to her room at 9 o'clock last night. It is believed that she at once made preparations for suicide, and was dead before midnight. She left no farewell notes or letters.

Before coming to Waltham, Miss McClellen, who was about twenty-five years old, was for nine months a nurse at the McLean Hospital in Waverly, and before that she was a school teacher. She was well edu. ated.

She came to New England three years ago from her home in River Herbert, Colchester County, Nova Scotia, where her father, mother and three sisters are now living. She made no friends in Waltham or Waverly and though she was very good looking girl of the blonde type, she went to no social affairs. She was inclined to fellow workgirls say, to be subdued, "blue" and despondent. She was employed in the trans-making department at the factory.

HEROIC FISHERMEN SAVE TWO L. S

The fishing schooner Conqueror reached Boston to-day, the members of the crew loud in their praise of the heroism of one of their number in having rescued two other men from the vessel whose story had over turned in a gale. On Sunday afternoon about off Brown's Bank on the Nova Scotia coast, Uriah Teele and Samuel Matte were overturned from their dory. Charles Doucette and Eugene Vaun who were fishing a quarter of a mile away, saw the accident and in the bitter cold and high sea rowed to their assistance and rescued the men. All four men were nearly frozen and exhausted when they reached the schooner.

REDUCE CHARGE IN BOOKER T.'S CASE

NEW YORK, March 29.—District Attorney Whitman to-day filed in the County Court House an affidavit charging Dr. Henry A. Ulrich of 114 West Sixty-third street with assault in the third degree on Booker T. Washington. The latter is now in the charge of frivolous assault. There was no evidence to show that Ulrich used a weapon in his assault when he beat the editor in the face after the hearing in Magistrate Mc-Kay's court.

ELECT OHIO MAN TECHNIQUE EDITOR

After a long existing deadlock at the 1912 Technique electorial committee, Lawrence C. Hart of Dayton, O., has been elected editor-in-chief of Technique, 1912. The house is considered one of the greatest that can be given an individual by the association at Technique, and the position to which Hart has been elected is continuously awarding that physique quiz style on prescriptions whether they are for children or adults.

16-YEAR-OLD YOUTH HANGS SELF IN CELL

Louis Hoffer, sixteen years old, the son of George Hoffer of Melrose Highlands, committed suicide at the Concord Reformatory yesterday afternoon. His body was found hanging to his cell door by a rope made of sheets.

The boy was sent to Concord January 10. At that time he was on probation from the Superior Court where he had been arraigned for breaking and entering a store at Stoneham. A few days before his commitment he was turned over to the probation officer on a charge preferred by Chief Kerr of the Melrose Fire Department.

A day or two previously Chief Kerr, with members of the city government were treating Melrose in the city's new fire auto. When they got to the Melrose Highlands depot young Hoffer was there with a bag of water.

Attacks Police Chief.

When he saw the Chief, he threw the bag hitting the Chief in the head. It was this act that caused his probation to be terminated and his being sent to Concord.

Reports from the Concord Reformatory declare that the boy had recently been troubled. Saturday he was sent to the detention room for creating a disturbance when the other boys were talking their beds. Sunday he was locked in his cell and not allowed to go to church with the others.

Acted Naturally.

Monday Deputy Superintendent P. W. Allen talked with the boy. He told him that he was to be punished. He sent the boy to the punishment cell. He was there Monday. An officer saw him frequently and declares that he acted naturally.

Young Hoffer's body was found at 1.45 yesterday afternoon. The officer who found it declares that he had seen the boy less than a half hour previously. He said that he was all right then.

Medical Examiner H. J. Wolcott of the Concord district examined the body. He said to-day that he would not perform any autopsy.

GOVERNOR FAVORS TEAMING TUNNEL

Governor Foss to-day signed the resolve which provides for investigation by the Railroad and Transit Commission of a subway or tunnel under Boston harbor to East Boston. This tunnel would mean a great saving to freight interests between Boston and Boston. The Governor has also signed the bill authorizing savings banks to receive deposits from school children, and a resolve providing for an appropriation of $5,000 and the appointment of seven to consider how the State may cooperate with the federal government and other States in development of inland waterways.

SETTLEMENT RUMOR IN SHEPHERD FIGHT

Failure of any of the counsel in the contested will case of Obed Shepherd of Waltham to appear at the adjourned hearing of the case in Probate meeting in East Cambridge to-day, and the indefinite postponement of the hearing, gave rise to the report that a settlement had been made. Counsel would not affirm or deny the report. By the will Mr. Shepherd cut off his three daughters with $50 each, the bulk of the estate going to charity.

COUPLE PARTED DAY AFTER WEDDING

Daniel F. Crossman of Boston was granted a divorce from his wife, Margaret, by Judge Hayward of the Suffolk Divorce Court to-day. He told the Court that they were married here September 17, 1910. We were both members of the Universalist company that was going on the road the following day. But my wife refused to go. That was the day after we were married. I haven't lived with her since. I sent her money for a while, but finally she said she didn't want any husband. I obeyed.

GENERAL REYES TO TAKE DIAZ'S PLACE

HAVANA, March 29.—General Bernardo Reyes, the exiled Mexican statesman, will succeed Diaz as President. This informa tion, emanating from an official source in Mexico City, was received here to-day by the Cuban Premier. The Mexican President Diaz and Vice-President Corral have resigned.

PASS BILL CUTTING PAWNBROKERS' RATE

ALBANY, March 29.—The Assembly has passed Assemblyman Brooks's bill reducing the rate of interest charged by pawnbrokers from 3 per cent. per month the legal rate to interest for pawnbrokers and the Tuttle bill providing that pawnbroker must state on pawnbrokers' tickets the rate of interest charged.

LOBBY BEATEN ON INCOME TAX

The Committee on Federal Relations voted to-day to report favorably on Frank I. Donahue's resolution ratifying the income tax amendment to the federal constitution. The vote was 9 to 4. The eleventh member of the committee, Senator Hurd of Worcester, was not at the meeting, but sent word that he wished to be recorded in favor of the measure. Representative John W. Haigis of Montague, a leading candidate for Speaker of next year's House, reported the measure in the House this afternoon.

Senator Hurd swung to a favorable position on the measure last night. He had been counted on by the State House lobbyists not to vote for the tax. Representative Hurt of Dorchester, a Republican, who had also been counted on by the lobbyists to vote against the proposition, voted for the measure to-day after he had been advised by his political managers that he could never be elected again to public office if he voted against the resolutions.

Vote 6 to 4.

The committee met in executive session at 11.05 yesterday.

This was the vote:

For—Republicans, Representatives Haigis of Montague, Hurt of Dorchester, Silvester of Worcester; Democrats, Representatives Seligman of Boston, Toomey of Lowell and Harding of Whitman—6.

Against—Republicans, Senators Pearson of Brookline and Turner of Fall River; Representatives Carr of Roxbury and Sweeney of Attleboro—4.

Lobbyists representing the special interests which voted the income tax amendment defeated by the Legislature thronged the corridor outside the committee room while the members were in session. When the committee's vote was announced they fell over each other in their haste to flash the news by telephone to State street and thereabouts.

Lobby Fought Hard.

The committee's verdict is a notable victory for the handful of patriots who have been fighting at the State House for ratification. The highest salaried lobbyists in the State were retained in the fight against it.

The interests which retained these lobbyists were defeated to-day not only in the committee vote on the measure itself, but in the vote to report the matter in the House, instead of in the Senate, where the interests have more friends.

If the measure is reported in the Senate, and defeated there, it would not reach the House this session. It is certain to be passed along by the House by a vote overwhelmingly in favor of it, and only the chances of the interests for defeating it in the Senate will be considerably lessened.

Besides Chairman Frank I. Donahue, chairman of the Committee on Federal Relations, those in attendance this afternoon representing his opposition to the measure. His arguments are to be contained largely in the arguments set forth by the paid legislative counsel of the interests before the committee for the measure's defeat.

CANAL ICE CAUSES OGDENSBURG FLOOD

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., March 29.—Backed up by the power canal here caused a large flood to-day. Houses and stores near the canal were flooded, and the occupants were forced to abandon the buildings.

The next list of Candidates' Standing in the

American

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Contest

Will Appear

Sunday, April 9th

No subscriptions or votes turned in after next Friday night at 10 o'clock will be counted for this list.

THE WEATHER.

Rain to-night and probably Thursday; moderate easterly winds; increasing.

Sun rises 5.33; sets 6.06.
High tide 10.59 a. m., 10.52 p. m.
Moon rises 5.26 a. m.

The AMERICAN goes into more homes than all the other evening papers of Boston combined. It is the Quality newspaper.

CITY TO PROSECUTE THE OWNERS OF ALL FIRE TRAPS AT ONCE

Fire escapes that are adequate and proper stairways must be provided in the fire-trap buildings of Boston at once, it was decided to-day by Building Commissioner Arthur G. Everett and Assistant Corporation Counsel Karl Adams, who held a conference in the Old Court House building, of the illegal structures will be vacated and the owners criminally prosecuted.

Following a second conference with Fire Commissioner Daly, Building Commissioner Everett said:

"This department has not received the co-operation of the people who own build-ings. The owners would gather take chances of losing scores of innocent people rather than spend a few dollars to properly protect them.

"Since this is the case, my attitude will be unrelenting against the law breakers. We will enforce the law to the limit. It will be a hard and fast rule that no owner of a building who is delinquent will receive any consideration.

Will Increase Force.

"Every effort has been made by my de-partmen- to discover buildings which do not comply with the law. With two additional inspectors added to the present force, I expect the work to be carried on with much greater efficiency."

Work must start at once on the nineteen buildings reported to Mayor Fitzgerald as the worst in the city.

It was brought out to-day that building inspectors have frequently warned the owners of houses inadequately protected against the dangers of fire, and that in many cases the warnings were not heeded.

Building Commissioner Everett is determined upon a city wide crusade of inspection, so that all possibility in Boston of such an appalling catastrophe as that in the New York shirtwaist factory shall be reduced to a minimum.

More Building Inspectors.

Commissioner Everett to-day made a requisition upon the State Civil Service Commissioners for 3 list of eligible names from which the two additional building inspectors authorized by Mayor Fitzgerald will be selected. The appointments will be made at once and the inspectors assigned to buildings in the heart of the city where men, women and the girls are employed on top floors in the making of clothing. Particular attention will be paid to those buildings where lofts and upper floors intended originally for storage purposes only are now workshops employing in some cases hundreds of girls, and without facilities for escape in case of fire except one narrow stairway.

Insurance men and underwriters began to-day to supplement the vigorous work of Commissioner Everett. The commissioner's office was crowded to-day with owners of property, some brought there by the general publicity attending the agitation of conditions by the commissioner, others sent by insurance underwriters whose inspectors found perilous conditions.

Abolish the Fire Traps.

The fire, street and health departments are co-operating with the building commissioner to abate the further existence of death traps.

This afternoon Mayor Fitzgerald conferred both with the building department and the law department upon steps toward making every more complete the plans for the abolition of the death traps begun by Commissioner Everett.

A score of buildings said to be unsafe in case of fire have been reported to-day to the department by Building Commissioner Everett. In submitting the report to the Mayor's office, he stated that this list represented but a small part of the total that will be announced, that his inspectors had only begun their work. The buildings he has already reported are:

No. 53-55 Albany street, Teresa L. Lennon; No. 81 Albany street, George Doherty devisees; No. 23 Allston street, Charles H. Towers; No. 110 Bedford street, Mary Kingston street, Mary A. Bangs; No. 100 Brighton avenue, Fanny Fales Bridge; No. 13 Church street, Abbie E. Taylor; No. 100-102 Commercial street, Edwin D. Woodbury et al; No. 371-373 Hanover street, Angelo De Rosa et al; No. 71 Harvard street, George Doherty devisees; No. 103-105 Kneeland street, William A. Miller; No. 11 Marble street, 12½ Bradley; No. 12 Marble street, Ira Bradley; No. 46 Norman street, Lena Levenson; No. 26 Oxford street, Anna E. Bradbury; No. 28 Oxford street, Annie E. Bradbury; No. 32 Oxford street, David Collins heirs; No. 158 Salem street, Grant and Olive P. Gately; No. 28 school street, Second Society of Universalists; No. 45 South Margin street, Lena Levenson.

Some of the occupants of the dangerous buildings were interviewed to-day as follows:

At Nos. 100 to 102 Commercial street, a four-story brick building, which is used as a mattress factory, this was said:

"An inspector called yesterday, and later agents took measures for escapes."

What the Owners Say.

Angelo de Rosa, one of the owners at Nos. 371 to 373 Hanover street, said:

"I have waited to get the privilege of connecting a fire escape on our building with the building adjoining, owned by Mr. Alvini, the banker, who has been in Europe the past year."

An inspector called two weeks ago at No. 158 Salem street, building formerly owned by Grant and Olive P. Gately, but which is now leased to De Rosa. The inspector reported that he had asked for two years to get Mrs. Gately to provide proper fire escapes, but failed.

Lena Levenson of No. 46 Norman street said,

"The inspector called this month, agreed to put on fire escapes. I am at working on them now."

Mrs. Leven said with reference to No. 45 South Margin street,

"I own No. 46 South Margin street, too, and am going to connect Nos. 45 and 46 at the rear by balconies and iron stairways. I have owned these houses twenty years and had no fire."

Mrs. Pauline Schindler at No. 100 Brighton street told the tenants that she would erect fire escapes there at once.

At No. 23 Allston street, owned by Charles H. Towers, the tenants said that an inspector called there a month ago, but they had heard nothing as to the result.

A mass meeting of the representatives of 14,000 Boston garment workers has been called by Miss Mabel Gillespie of the Women's Trade Union League for to-morrow night. Miss Gillespie proposes to find out in the manner just what manufacturing buildings in Boston are fireproof, and then demand instant action by Mayor Fitzgerald and Commissioner Everett.

She has written the Mayor calling his attention to one establishment in Roxbury employing 600 girls.

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End of 2d Week, if any remain, Reduction 25%
End of 3d Week, if any remain, Reduction 33⅓%
End of 4th Week, if any remain, Reduction 75%
Last Week, if any remain, Entire Stock

AMONG HUNDREDS OF LOTS FOR

THURSDAY

Note Particularly the Following:

A lot of Misses' and Small Women's 16.50 SUITS, plain tailored in mannish worsteds. For THURSDAY... 10.75

Suits—Misses' and Small Women's 18.50 Strictly Tailored Suits; in navy blue, serge and worsted; satin lined.. 13.50

Waists—4.00 to 6.00 Sample and Odd Silk Waists; many styles and colors; mostly size 36..... 2.89

A lot of Voile, Panama, Serge and Worsted Skirts; women's and misses' sizes, mostly black, navy and brown; catalog prices 6.98 and more. THURSDAY... 4.40

Sweaters—Women's and Misses' Part Wool Sweaters, all in white; 1.00 and 1.25 values..... 69c

Undermuslins—1.00 and 1.25 Undermuslins; Gowns, Combinations, Chemises and Petticoats, (all trimmed styles)..... 69c

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MESSENGER AND $50,000 DISAPPEAR

EL PASO, Tex., March 29.—Detectives of the Wells Fargo Express Company revealed to-day that for nine days they have been searching for a trace of W. A. Hawkins, an express messenger who disappeared mysteriously with $50,000 he was carrying. The money is believed to have been taken between Nogales, Ariz., and Manatian, Mexico.

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RAW VEGETABLE DIET MAN SUED FOR DIVORCE BY DESERTED WIFE

A. F. Tyler of Pittsfield, Accused by Haverhill Woman, Is Now Living with Another Wife.

PITTSFIELD, March 29.—Albert F. Tyler, who with his wife and three children has become famous as the "vegetable diet man," has been sued for divorce by Lucy E. Tyler of Haverhill, who says Tyler married her there sixteen years ago and deserted her eight years later. His property has been attached for $5,000.

Tyler has lived in this city for several years. The police say they have no evidence that he was ever married to the woman who has lived with him as his wife and who has borne him three children. The children are O. B. Joyful Tyler, Lucy Drinkwater Tyler and Alfred Frederick Tyler.

The woman who is bringing the divorce proceedings declares that she has been unable to learn of Tyler's whereabouts until very recently when she read a story about him in a Boston paper. The story told of his peculiar life and his vegetable diet. It contained his picture. The Haverhill police traced him to Pittsfield.

Woman Complains to Police.

Mrs. Tyler came to this city several days ago, bringing with her pictures of Tyler and a marriage certificate showing that she had been married to him in Haverhill sixteen years ago.

Upon her arrival here Mrs. Tyler went first to Chief of Police White. She told her story to him. The chief advised her to bring suit for a divorce and later Attorney C. M. Wilcox was called in. Attorney Wilcox made out the divorce papers and to-day they were served upon Tyler by Deputy Sheriff White. At the same time the attachment on his property for $5,000 was served.

Tyler admits that the Haverhill woman is his wife. He has not yet decided whether he will contest the divorce case or not. Chief White to-day was not prepared to say whether he would bring action against Tyler or not.

Tyler came here several years ago and took a small farm. He worked about the place and peddled farm products. He became generally known in the vicinity, but as time went on and the people learned of his eccentric home life his fame spread.

Ate Raw Vegetables.

After a time his life became better known when the papers published stories about his vegetable diet. It was said that Tyler lived on vegetables almost entirely. They were uncooked, for he claimed that cooking destroyed their food value. He varied this diet occasionally with fruit and nuts.

The authorities investigated the case. The Tyler hearth was practically fireless. They lived in the most primitive manner. Tyler was not satisfied with practising his doctrines in his own family, but in his travels while selling his farm products he preached the virtues of the vegetable diet to his customers and neighbors.

The Tyler home is on Cascade street. It is an old house and is in poor condition. The place has become one of the points of interest to the people of Pittsfield and the place has been pointed out to visitors there.

It is not believed that Tyler's belongings are worth $5,000, the amount of the attachment placed on them by the Haverhill woman.

Albert F. Tyler, woman he has called his wife, and two of their three children, O. B. Joyful and Lucy Drinkwater Tyler. Lucy is the baby.

CHAMP CLARK PUTS ON STYLE

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Jeffersonian Democrats from the high grass regions, who have always thought Speaker-to-be Clark a plain, homespun person, opposed to frills, were shocked when they learned that Mr. Clark has ordered the famous thistle-marked Henderson china, cut glass, linen and silverware and solid mahogany furniture resurrected from the Capitol storerooms and used to furnish a private dining room in the House wing for his own use.

All of these dining room fixings were made especially for the late David B. Henderson and paid for out of the House contingent fund. They have been in storage ever since Henderson surrendered his Speaker's gavel to Mr. Cannon, nearly nine years ago. Mr. Cannon never used them nor had he a private dining room. He took his luncheon of crackers and milk and mince pie or something of that sort in the main dining room of the House restaurant.

Perhaps Mr. Clark might have done the same had it not been for the thistle monogram on the Henderson linen, china and silver. Mr. Henderson was Scotch; so is Mrs. Clark. When she heard of the thistle china, a set of several hundred pieces, she suggested to Mr. Clark that he use it. He looked it over and found it good.

Mr. Clark's daily luncheon is simple, although he probably will serve more substantial meals to his friends. Appreciating that five-eighths of the human body is water, Mr. Clark consistently orders each day for his luncheon a glass of water, a glass of milk, a cup of tea and a piece of pie. First he drinks the water, then the milk and then the tea. Sometimes after that he even eats the pie.

HOT GRIDDLES DIVORCE ISSUE

The tale of a wife with a temper so virulent, it is alleged, that she kept her husband roused, was told in Divorce Court today, during the hearing of the cross-libels of Charles S. Lake and his wife, Emily. Lake admitted that he was afraid of his wife, but said that on some occasions he stood up for his rights like a man. Both allege desertion.

Mrs. Lake was the first witness. "We were married September 11, 1907, and lived at first in Chelsea and then in East Boston. My husband was earning $14 a week and gave me all but $2 of it. Then early in January we had a spell of a week when he wouldn't speak to me. And finally, Sunday, January 5, 1908, he left me and I went home to my mother. Since then I have worked and supported myself."

Says Wife Was Very Fiery.

Mr. Lake told a different story. "My wife had a hot temper," he told the court. "Just for an example, the Sunday that she left me, I was reading in the kitchen. The fire went out. She blamed me and got up and threw the stove lids around the place. Then she went out of the room and worked off some of her temper by slamming the door back against my chair. She almost knocked it over. So I went down street and got a shave. I was afraid to stay home. When I came back, the house was torn up and she was all packed ready to leave. All my things were thrown around the floor—all the little souvenirs that I had given her, and all my things. She left me that day."

There was a passage during the cross-examination that convulsed the court room.

"Which is the stronger, you or your wife?" asked the attorney.

Thinks She Could Beat Him.

"I guess she could get the better of me, all right. But we never had any test fights"

Q.—And you were really afraid of her?

A.—Yes, especially if she was mad.

Q.—Were you always the meek lamb in those household scraps? A.—Oh, no, I spoke up once in a while.

Q.—Stood up for yourself like a little man, didn't you? A.—You bet your life.

Q.—Did you quarrel over the meals because you liked beefsteak? A.—I didn't like steak any better than I did bran.

Q.—Were you partial to stew? A.—Oh, I'd eat anything.

WIFE NO. 5 FOR "NAT" GOODWIN

NEW YORK, March 27.—Alas and alack Nat Goodwin, the "Marrying Actor" can only take unto himself forty-eight more wives.

Yesterday Supreme Court Justice Giegerich, in confirming the decision of Referee Campbell Thompson that Edna Goodrich, Nat's Fourth," you know, be granted an absolute divorce from the famous purveyor of laughter, stipulated: "The plaintiff is given permission to remarry, but the defendant is denied that privilege until the plaintiff shall have died."

Willie Collier and Nat's other lambs-ob cronies profess to see in this a notice-ss conspiracy to prevent Nat from engaging in the only pastime that he really enjoys.

The betting was two to one around roadway centers of learning yesterday that the old house, Nat Goodwin, would be decked in the matrimonial escutcheon within a month. Which is another way of saying that Nat told his friends recently that he is suffering from a recrudescence of that "feeling of inspiration" that always goes before he is bitten by the matrimonial microbe. Nat couldn't be induced to do a hint as to the identity of the girl on after the fifth round but his friends remarked yesterday that he is in fine and from that city came the announcement that he is to wed Maud Lambert, who appeared in his farce "Nobody Home."

Before he left for the West Nat told a friends frankly that he was tired of ng a bachelor. He said he expected a mirage license clerk would see him before he became married.

"Intrimony with me my boy, is not a ge," one people seem to think it's a inspiration, a feeling of fervor that me to do the thing. But I believe right and will result in the most permaon happiness," said he who upholds ng in the well-known schools' conption that marriage is not a failure.

"I do not expect that I am treating a most exhaustive manner in my ge," he continued, "and I think I will ounce a philosophy that will have many lawyers, at least among the profession as of the stage."

Ben Goodrich "crossed her heart and ised to die" if she had had any perse toward Nat when she begged court that he be refused permission to ry.

"It was only because it was the usual ng that I asked that Mr. Goodwin be nished to remarry in this State," she d. "I am sorry for him, but I can ure you I have no intention of dying so g my former husband may have a hday wedding."

FALLS FROM CAR; LOSES HIS MEMORY

Peter Hendrickson, sixty-three, thought was a school teacher from Wisconsin, is in the City Hospital in a serious condition ering from a severe fall from a street in front of Mechanics Building, ington avenue. The doctors as yet ve been able to discover his identity, though he is believed to be suffering om concussion of the brain.

Hendrickson's mind is a blank. He can member practically nothing except that e is a Wisconsin teacher, traveling.

BROOKLINE GIRL WINS MUSIC PRIZE

PHILADELPHIA, March 29. At the closing session here of the National Federation of Musical Clubs announcement was made that the Caesar Memorial prize of $100 for a song had been awarded to Miss Mabel W. Patrick of Brookline, Mass. The song is called "The Veils of Dreams." Miss Patrick was also awarded the Brush prize of $100 for a concerto number entitled an "Easter Song."

MAYOR SIGNS WASTE ORDER

Mayor Fitzgerald to-day signed the amended ordinance which permits the Department of Public Works to collect the garbage of Public Institutions to collect the garbage of Public Institutions to collect the garbage of Public Institutions

BECOMES BRIDE TO DIE HAPPY

BROCKTON, March 29.—With her bridal gown for a shroud, the body of Mrs. Florence Ada Holmes lies in state today at the home of her parents, dead on her wedding day. She lived a few hours after the marriage, happy that she was the bride of her schoolboy sweetheart.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Wagner, in Brockville. The bridegroom, Theodore Wright Bisbee, had been at the girl's bedside for days. She had prayed for recovery that she might become a bride in June, and when all hope was gone, when life was nearly extinct, her fiancé made the plea for the wedding. The Rev. A. T. Ringold of the North Baptist Church performed the ceremony.

The couple were high school sweethearts. He went to the University of Maine and the Yale Law School and recently began practicing law. The bride rallied a little after the ceremony and the groom remained at the bedside till the end. Tuberculosis caused her death. She was twenty-two years old.

MRS. Q. A. SHAW, RE-ELECTED HEAD OF SUFFRAGISTS

MRS. QUINCY SHAW.

MRS. SHAW AGAIN SUFFRAGE HEAD

Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw was today re-elected president of the Boston Equal Suffrage Association for Good Government at the Boylston street rooms of the association. The other officers elected are:

Vice-presidents, Mrs. Charles G. Ames, Miss Emily G. Balch, Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, Mrs. James T. Fields, Mrs. Mary Huttleston Page; secretary, Mrs. James Perkins; recording secretary, Mrs. Otto B. Cole; treasurer, Mrs. Francis H. Williams; other directors, Mrs. Fannie Fern Andrews, Mrs. Clara H. Beatley, Miss Caroline J. Cook, Miss Mary P. Felton, Miss Laura Lee, Mrs. John Lindsley, Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead, Dr. Evangeline W. Young.

The meeting was most enthusiastic. This was due, as all the speakers emphasized, to the great gains made all over the United States and in England in the fight for votes for women.

Resolutions were adopted praising the granting of full suffrage to women in the State of Washington, and of partial suffrage in two other States and in six foreign countries, and the action of the Legislatures of California, Kansas, Oregon and Nevada was commended for their unwillingness to the voters the proposition to submit women in full suffrage in those States.

Resolutions were adopted on the death of Julia Ward Howe, for forty years president of the association.

A luncheon was given at the Vendome for speakers included Mrs. Ellen Lyons Grenfell of Denver, former State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Colorado; Miss Alice Duer Miller, writer; Mrs. Stanley Mercereau, and Miss Maud Gordon of Radcliffe College.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

TAXES TOO HIGH, EXPERT SHOWS

Expert Accountant Harvey S. Chase turned his attention today to the State Banking Department, the Insurance Commissioner's department and the Secretary of State's office. His report on the workings of the State Treasurer's and Auditor's departments was in the hands of the Ways and Means committee of the House, having been submitted late yesterday by Governor Foss.

In that report Mr. Chase points out radical reforms that should be made in several methods of accounting in State funds and shows how errors of bookkeeping have increased the burden of taxation. Particularly does he urge the appointment of a supervising officer, who shall keep a set of books that will show the financial status of the Commonwealth at the end of every month. A monthly balance sheet, he points out, is impossible under present methods.

Mr. Chase's Report.

Mr. Chase's report on the auditor and treasurer says in part:

"After careful study of the practical workings of these provisions of law in these two financial departments, we should be inclined to recommend strongly the establishment of a new financial officer who should have control of all the strictly fiscal operations of the government and under whom the auditor and the treasurer would be subordinate officials.

"It appears, however, that the provision of the State Constitution, referred to above, precludes the establishment of a comptroller in Massachusetts, because so long as no money can be paid out of the treasury except to warrant under the hand of the Governor with the approval of the Council, it is evident that the latter (the Governor and Council) now act as comptrollers and need necessarily continue so to act until this constitutional provision is changed by some of the people. Not only would an amendment to the Constitution be necessary but also a considerable number of the statutes since the earliest days would require complete reconstruction and the whole financial plan of the State would be changed. Naturally, we hesitate to recommend so serious a departure from the established practice of the Commonwealth.

The One Great Defect.

"The lack of accounting methods and procedure which would result automatically in the production of a statement of financial condition at the end of each month is the one great defect in the bookkeeping methods of the Commonwealth, in our opinion. This can be and should be remedied promptly by the introduction of an overhead controlling ledger, supported by subsidiary books, principally journals, whereby summaries of the transactions of the various functions of the Commonwealth shall be taken in monthly totals from the present bookkeeping in the various departments and shall be brought together, analyzed and classified by one competent official, or clerk, and entered correctly in the controlling ledger, from which should be drawn immediately after the close of each month an accurate and functionally classified statement of condition or balance sheet."

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39c Corset Covers, emb. trimmed and crossbar muslins... **25c**
50c Corset Covers, lace, ribbon and embroidery **39c**
Other remarkable values at **49c, 69c** and **98c**

59c Gowns, embroidery trimmed **35c**
69c Gowns, muslin and cambric **49c**
1.00 Gowns, all styles, lace or embroidery trimmed **69c**
1.50 to 2.00 Gowns, 16 styles **98c**
Other remarkable values at **1.49, 1.98** and **2.49**

39c Chemises, lace trimmed **29c**
69c Chemises, lace or embroidery trimmed **49c**
1.00 Chemises **69c**
1.25 Chemises **79c**
1.50 and **2.00 Chemises** **98c**
Other great values at **1.29** and **1.49**

Combinations, either cover and drawers, or cover and skirt.
79c Combinations, lace or embroidery trimmed **59c**
1.00 Combinations, princess style, emb'y trimmed **79c**
1.50 and 2.00 Combinations, in 12 distinct styles **98c**
Other great values at **1.49** and **1.98**

50c Skirts, wide tucked flounce **29c**
69c Skirts, lace trimmed, wide flounce **49c**
1.00 Skirts, wide lace trimmed ruffle **69c**
Other wonderful values at **98c, 1.49, 1.98, 2.49** and **2.98**
25c Drawers, full and wide **17c**
35c Drawers, wide ruffle, assorted embroideries **23c**
50c Drawers, lace and embroidery trimmed **39c**
Other wonderful values at **49c, 69c** and **89c**
Princess Slips at ..... **85c, 1.29, 1.69** and **1.98**
Misses' and **Children's Drawers,** at **19c, 25c, 39c, 49c**
Misses' and **Children's Skirts,** at **19c, 25c, 49c, 69c**
Misses' and **Children's Gowns,** at **39c, 49c, 69c**

In Addition to the Above, Note the Following Great Bargains:

Boys' 2.50 Serge Suits Double breasted blue serge suits, knickerbocker pants; sizes 7 to 16 years **1.79**

Boys' 6.00 Cheviot Suits Brown stripe Scotch cheviot, 2 pants suits; sizes 7 to 17 years **4.95**

Boys' 6.00 Norfolk Suits Strictly all wool, pants lined; sizes 6 to 11 years. For **4.95**

2.00 Scotch Lace Curtains In novelty and brussels effects; Arab color or white; a pair **1.58**

65c Cottage Curtains Of colored cross stripe etamine; an excellent bargain at, a pair **39c**

55c Muslin Curtains Ruffled muslin curtains, hemstitched, five tucks; just 300 pairs; a pair **39c**

1.50 Muslin Curtains Embroidered, with 2-inch hemstitched edge and bottom; a pair **98c**

2.50 Lace Curtains Braided Bonaz curtains, heavy French cable net, Arab or white, 40 inches wide, at.. **1.88**

50c Door Panels Of Irish point; a grand assortment of designs to select from; each **39c**

25c Curtain Scrim Lace block scrim, in white, cream and Arab; just 50 pieces; a yard **15c**

1.25 Couch Covers In Roman stripes; reversible, heavy tassel fringe; price for this week **79c**

Women's 2.75 Skirts New mohair skirts, plain gored top; section plaited bottom; button trimmed, black only **1.95**

Women's 6.50 Raincoat A smart mannish model, in black, gray and navy; every woman should secure one at this low price **3.95**

Women's 50c Gloves 2-clasp chamoisette, in white, gray and natural at **33c**

Women's 69c Gloves 2-clasp kid gloves; in tan, black, white and mode, at **59c**

Women's 50c and 85c Gloves Broken size odd lot of good quality kid gloves, marked low for quick disposal **35c**

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4.00 Lingerie Dresses White, Dutch neck, ¾ sleeves, hand embroidered effects on waist and skirt, daintily lace trimmed **2.95**

Girls' 3.50 White Dresses Suitable for confirmation wear; elaborately trimmed with laces and insertions; sizes 6 to 14 years **2.49**

Women's 9c Handkerchiefs Embroidered and lace edge; a rare value for **5c**

Infants' 37½c and 50c Hose Cashmere hose, plain weave, double knees, heels and toes; sizes 4 to 7 ..... **12½c**

Men's 35c Silk Hose Thread silk hose, in fancy colorse seconds; 3 pair for 50c. A pair **17c**

Men's 12½c Cotton Hose Fast black, with double heels and toes; seconds **7c**

Women's 1.00 Brassieres Good material, reinforced under arms; yokes of lace or embroidery **49c**

Women's 1.00 Corsets Popular makes; short and medium lengths; broken sizes **39c**

Women's 1.50 and 2.00 House Shoes Turn sewed leather and rubber heels, in juliets and oxfords, broken sizes **95c**

13.50 Batiste Robes Imported robes in sky, helio, pink, gray, champagne, catawba and reseda, each **6.69**

Women's 17c Vests Jersey ribbed cotton, low neck, no sleeves; fancy yokes; seconds **9c**

Women's 1.00 Union Suits Mercerized bleached lisle thread, low neck, no sleeves, knee length; umbrella lace trimmed; seconds **49c**

Women's 50c Silk Hose Thread silk boot; mercerized top garter welt, double knees, heels and toes; seconds **29c**

Misses' 10.00 Dresses Season's newest and prettiest designs; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years **7.25**

Misses' 10.50 Suits All smart, strictly tailor-made suits. A variety of light-weight cloths; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years **8.50**

1.25 Chantilly Veils In both black and white; full 1½ yards long. Price, each **69c**

2.00 to 2.50 Lingerie Waists Of allover embroidery, lace trimmed batiste and Bulgarian embroidered marquisettes **1.49**

1.50 to 2.00 Lingerie Waists Handsomely embroidered or lace trimmed; a rare value at this price **98c**

1.00 to 2.00 Tailored Waists Also Lingerie Waists, in a good variety of desirable effects; price only **79c**

25c Dutch Collars Embroidered linen Dutch; a value that every woman should avail herself of **12½c**

25c Jabots Of embroidered linen; lawn lace trimmed; a bargain at **12½c**

50c to 75c Dutch Collars Of Venise lace, including a variety of desirable effects **39c**

Children's 50c and 69c Dresses Assorted ginghams and percales, French and Russian styles; sizes 2 to 5 years **39c**

Children's 89c Dresses Pretty colored dresses, in mostly French style, an extra good value; sizes 2 to 5 years **65c**

Children's 1.00 to 2.00 Dresses Sample line, consisting of white linon, madras and lawns; French and Russian styles; sizes 2 to 6 years **69c**

Infants' 1.25 Dresses White dresses, yokes of fine insertion, lamburg and tucks around bottom; 6 months to 2 years **98c**

Women's 3.00 Boots Patent colt, velvet top button boots, Cuban heels, Goodyear welts; medium toe, at **1.95**

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DIAZ DRAFTING PEACE MESSAGE

MEXICO CITY, March 29.—President Diaz to-day began work on his message to Congress, which convenes Saturday. The document is being prepared under the direction of Minister of Finance Limantour, who has conferred with the Maderos and other insurrecto leaders and understands fully Mexico's situation at home and abroad. From semi-official sources it was learned to-day that members of Congress expected to have presented to them shortly after convening a general amnesty act, granting full pardon to all men now in arms who surrender within the thirty days following the passage of the measure. This would give all men now in the mountains time to deliver up their arms.

Peace is believed to be near. There is little doubt here that President Diaz will ultimately retire, thus granting to the rebels their chief demand. He will not, however, quit office until the rebellion is ended and the republic tranquil. In his message, President Diaz is expected to outline in full his views on the rebellion and the reforms proposed to placate the men now up in arms. Upon this will depend largely the question of general amnesty and the disarmament of arms.

Members of Congress believe that President Diaz will order a new election with popular suffrage. It is almost certain that the resignations of Ramon Corral as vice-president will be laid before Congress. Under the Mexican law he has no right to resign, but he can get around this point in a diplomatic manner by asking Congress to let him retire for ill health. His return to Paris for Corral is expected to sail with his family for Europe early next week. His decision for retirement will be based upon the continual condition of ill health. Some of the more radical members of Congress favor the abolition of the post of vice president.

MINE FUND HAS REACHED $1,000 MARK

The Red Cross Chinese famine fund is growing steadily, and has now nearly reached the $1,000 mark. The previously acknowledged amount was $774 and individual contributions have raised this to $905.50. Some of the individual amounts received have been large. One contribution, however, which shows the interest here by all classes, was for fifty cents, 3d was sent in as "a workman's mite." Further contributions may be sent to Gardner H. Kane, No. 44 State street. Mr. Lane is treasurer of the Massachusetts Branch of the American Red Cross.

MEYER "RINGS OFF" ON "HELLO" IN NAVY

WASHINGTON, March 29.—"Hello" has been tabulated from the telephone service of the Navy Department. Any of the officials or employes here or at yards and stations in the United States instead of answering a telephone call by "hello" will give their name or the name of the office. Secretary Meyer believes that to say "hello" to every phone call is a waste of time.

"I'VE GOT MY EYE ON YOU"

HOW TO SOLVE CENSOR PUZZLE

Frank Chouteau Brown of the Boston Drama League, accompanied by Mayor Fitzgerald to pass judgment on Mrs. Leslie Carter's play, "The Two Women," which opened at the Majestic Monday night, and who reported favorably, suggested to-day how we can get clean plays in Boston. He said that one way would be to have a censor go to New York to look at the plays before they get here and decide about them in time to warn them off if they were considered bad, or else have a permanent Boston censor in New York to look out for the interests of the Hub.

There would probably be a good many applicants for the job of going over to Gotham on first nights.

With reference to the report that there was difference of opinion between him and the Mayor over "The Two Women" Mr. Brown said to-day:

Agrees With Mayor.

"There is no difference of opinion between the Mayor and myself in regard to my report on the performance at the Majestic of 'Two Women.' So far as I know the Mayor does not disagree with me. In fact I agreed with him that if possible some consistent way of handling this problem should be found.

Mr. Brown explained that by consistent method he means a way by which all plays should be censored according to some fixed standard. He said that so far no such definite means was under consideration, but he thought the present agitation would result in something of a material nature in regard to play censorship.

Mr. Brown would not discuss his report to the Mayor on "Two Women." He said he had written probably a thousand words of that he had given an unbiased account of what he saw at the Majestic, and that he had offered one or two suggestions of his own, by adopting which objectionable things would be eliminated with absolutely no injury to the rest of the scenes.

Of the Drama League, Mr. Brown said it would do much good by the line of work ing the public just what shows they should witness in Boston.

Blames New York.

"The Drama League does not believe in censoring," said Mr. Brown. "Its method is of approving the good plays. No notice, for instance, would be taken of a show like 'The Girl from Rector's.'

"The solution the league offers for Boston's problem is an indirect one. It will develop an intelligent public opinion with regard to the stage. It will not keep out the bad plays, but will tell the people what are the plays that are really worth seeing.

"I do not blame the local home managers for the objectionable shows that are put on in their theatres. The blame belongs to the New York offices, where the bookings are made. It is there that good work might be done toward keeping the bad plays out of this city.

A Public Movement.

"There are a number of Boston men besides myself interested in the branch of the Drama League we will organize here. Committee meetings are being held this week to effect an organization. One of the men interested in the matter is Professor Baker of Harvard.

"The Drama League is a public movement. In other cities, like Chicago for instance, various women's clubs have taken it up. The idea is to unite the clubs and the public to exert their influence in behalf of managers who are offering worthy plays. It is proposed to publish for the use of the public reading lists, courses of study and critical guides that will make the examinations of such plays easy and pleasant. The league's aim—as someone has said—is 'the organized audience.'

"Bulletins sent out by the league keep the public informed as to local conditions in the theatres and the plays they ought to see."

905 LOTS GO AT TAX SALE

Auctioneer Lewis F. Bird sold 905 pieces of property for unpaid taxes at City Hall to-day.

The clerk's room in the collecting department was crowded with real estate dealers and tax title brokers when Auctioneer Bird hung out his red flag and started the sale.

Among the parcels scheduled to be knocked down were four pieces of property belonging to Governor Foss. Those who were figuring on grabbing this "plum" were disappointed, however, for the Governor paid the back taxes on the property yesterday and it was not put under the hammer.

One of the first parcels to be sold belonged to George L. Crocker, trustee, a former member of the Finance Commission. Mary E. Doyle took the title to this property on Kirkland street.

Timothy J. Brimmin was the official goat for the sale. Anything that nobody else wanted was knocked down to Brimmin. He is a clerk in the collecting department and acts for the city. On property bid in by him he refuses to take the title, and the title reverts to the city. Owners can then secure the tax title by paying merely the back taxes and costs.

A few of the dealers picked up some money in waiver fees. Joe Bergman arrived at the sale two minutes after his property had been put under the hammer. He paid the dealer $3 to waive his rights to the property, or, in other words, paid $3 for the privilege of paying his taxes.

The property sold for unpaid taxes to-day can be redeemed by the original owners by paying the unpaid taxes plus interest of 8 per cent, and the costs of the sale to whoever purchased the tax title. Purchasers of tax titles must pay the back taxes upon the property within twenty days, and they are then given a tax title.

2 FISHERMEN ARE DROWNED

Two fishermen were mysteriously drowned from their dory off Georges Banks, 75 miles southeast of Highland Light, according to the story brought in to T Wharf to-day by Captain John Grady and the crew of the fishing schooner Rex. The schooner came in to-day with her flag at half-mast. The overturned dory in which the two men were fishing was picked up Sunday afternoon. There has been no word, no log, no heavy sea.

"Saturday afternoon," said Captain Grady, "I began picking up my dories. I saw the dory in which Albert Hunt of Lockport, N. S., and John Williams of Everett were fishing about a mile away from the schooner. The sea was calm as a mill pond. When I got the schooner up to the place where the dory had been it was gone.

"For twenty-two hours we kept up the search, sounding the bank and using torches during the night. Other vessels on the Banks joined with us in the search. It was the schooner Elsie, Captain Tom Dowser, which found the overturned dory Sunday afternoon. It is a mystery how two capable, experienced fishermen should get overturned in a calm sea."

Hunt was fifty years old and Williams forty-five years old. Both men leave families.

CLEWS ARE LEFT IN RAID ON HENCOOP

NORTH GRAFTON, March 29.—Henry Houghton, who lives on the Farwell Farm Grafton street, has a coop, a block four-inches-and-a-half long and coming to a point, which he found in his hencoop and which he says, the owner may have by proving property. The caller had taken the trouble to fill a grain sack with hens. He escaped a barrel in departing and fell. He lost his property in escaping.

REBUILD TOY PLANT AT LEOMINSTER

LEOMINSTER, March 29.—The toy manufacturing plant on Lancaster street, owned and operated by H. E. Hunter and burned last Whiter at an estimated loss of $25,000, will be rebuilt.

Preliminary work on the plant has been started and the contract has been awarded to E. M. Smith, who had men at work on the grounds to-day.

REBELS SEIZE MERCHANTS.

LIMA, Peru, March 29.—Forty insurgents, headed by Orestes Ferro, entered the town of Cutacos in the department of Piura and seized two merchants.

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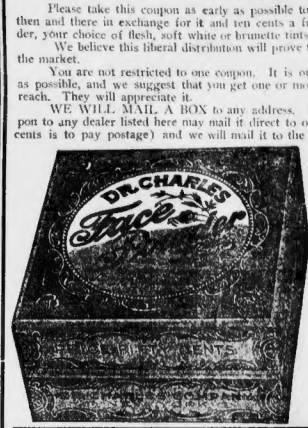

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DOORS LOCKED IN FIRE TRAP

NEW YORK, March 29.—Two girls testified to-day at the investigation which Fire Marshal Beers is conducting to place the responsibility for the Triangle Waist Company fire, in which 145 lives were lost last Saturday, that doors on the eighth and ninth floors of the factory were locked when the flames were discovered. These doors opened inwardly and scores of girls and men were trapped by them.

The two girls who testified were Sarah Cammerstein, seventeen years old, who was employed on the ninth floor, and Mrs. Irene Saivos, who worked on the eighth floor. Joseph Fletcher, cashier of the Triangle Company, admitted that rubbish was permitted to accumulate for ten days in the cutting room of the factory. He said this was done so that enough cloth cuttings could be obtained to make into bales and turn over to the ragman who called for the rubbish every ten days.

Another development in the fire inquiry was furnished to-day in a statement made by Isaac Harris, one of the proprietors of the waist company. Harris declared that to his knowledge there were no stairways or hose in any of the three lofts occupied by his concern.

Miss Cammerstein testified that when getting into the hallway when the flames were discovered she saw an elevator descending. She leaped to the top of the cage and escaped in safety.

Two of the bodies at the morgue were identified to-day, leaving eighteen still unidentified. Of these sixteen are girls and two are men.

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The property, which runs back to Falmouth st., contains a little more than 22,500 square feet of land, and is assessed for $280,000. Mr. Sidenius hopes to open the theatre by the Fall.

The building will be fireproof and will have a great many exits and will be up-to-date theatre in the city entirely detached from other structures. It will face Huntington avenue, with the park of the Christian Science Church on one side and a 25-foot-wide passageway between it and Horticultural Hall. A story will be added for the Emerson College of Oratory and the Handel and Haydn Society, which occupy Chickering Hall.

Two of the most important features of the theatre will be the width, rather than depth, as it is the purpose of the founders to bring the rear of the auditorium as near the avenue as possible, and the seats will be wide enough to insure comfort to all patrons.

There will be an Italian roof garden with pergolas supported by bone columns on the Huntington avenue side overlooking the park. An elevator and stairs will lead from the cafe to the roof garden, where there will be music and refreshments.

SWINDLER HAS BROCKTON PAST

BROCKTON, March 29.—Old indictments charging forgeries to the amount of $200,000 were brought out to-day, following the exhaustive efforts of Charles D. Sheldon, arrested in Pittsburg for Montreal police on swindling charges that involve several millions, that he is Charles W. Robinson, who disappeared from this city twenty-one years ago.

It is not thought likely that Robinson can be brought here until the Montreal authorities are through with him, and his case is further complicated, messages from Pittsburg state, by a new accusation against him there. While in jail he was served with a warrant charging him with embezzlement of securities valued at $1,100 in Montreal, it was said, and on charges of counterfeiting more than $2,000,000 from customers of his brokerage house. He disappeared last October.

Amazing Career in Brockton.

Robinson's career in Brockton presents an amazing series of contrasts. He was very prominent in church work and in all movements for civic betterment, he held a position as clerk of court and was a leader of society until he vanished in 1890. Then it was alleged that he had left behind forged notes for $200,000.

He was born and brought up in Sandwich and was married to a Cape Cod girl, Elsie M. Kelley of Dennis. Little is known of him and his actions on the Cape, except that he was apparently a very religious person and greatly interested in social affairs of the town.

When he came to Brockton with his wife he took a house in Newbury street. The place was elegantly furnished and a staff of servants was employed. His lavish receptions and entertainments startled Brockton.

He opened a stock brokerage office and began to do a rushing business. To some of his customers he promised and, it is said, paid as high as 50 per cent., while others claim he decamped with their entire savings.

He was made clerk of the Brockton Police Court and became immediately popular with city officials. He joined several of the most exclusive clubs and continued his expensive entertainments.

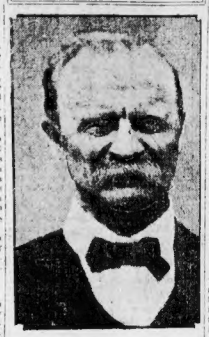
Judge Was Swindled.

His career in Brockton lasted but ten years. The day before he disappeared his partner in the brokerage business, it is claimed, confronted him with his alleged crimes, and Sheldon is said to have replied: "You don't know who I am, I am the blackest rascal in the city."

Among the men who had dealings with Sheldon are Charles Marsh, Emerson Goldthwaite and Sewell P. Howard.

His dealings with Judge Lloyd E. Chamberlain of the Probate Court are also included in the charges for which the Brockton police wish him to stand trial. Judge Chamberlain, with Miss Florence Stone, were appointed executors of the estate of Charles Stone and delivered to Robinson bonds, valued at $4,000. These, it is claimed, Sheldon sold for $4,000 and failed to make any returns of the money.

C. D. SHELDON, WHO ADMITS HAVING A BROCKTON RECORD



'JOKE' OFFICIAL ASKS SALARY

MILLBURY, March 29.—When H. I. Hooper was appointed inspector of liquors by the Selectmen they grinned and thought they had put a good joke over on the president of the Millbury Tavern. This is a temperance town. Now Hooper insists on making a job out of it and collecting his pay. William W. Whalle, one of the Selectmen and at one time champion bicycle rider of the world, says: "Yes, we appointed Hooper as a joke. But it seems he expected big wages and his pay after us for them. He convicted the 128 German votes and it would not do to lose them. Then I thought if the two gave him a vote of thanks it would satisfy him. That only made matters worse. Even the 128 German votes are all split up. I think the best way to settle Mr. Hooper's case is to let the courts do it."

GAYNOR REFUSES CORRIGAN CHALLENGE

NEW YORK, March 29.—Magistrate Joseph E. Corrigan, whose open letter a week ago to the newspapers criticising Mayor Gaynor for allowing a "wide open" town and for failure to suppress crime and which started the Grand Jury on an investigation, has challenged the Mayor to a debate on police conditions. The Mayor refused.

NEW CHARGES OF ASYLUM CRUELTY

Ten days as attendant in the Westboro insane asylum was all that Lewis Swart, a young English travelling salesman, who quit his job in disgust there yesterday, according to his own statement, could stand. He went up to the State House and told Representative Quinn of Lynn what he had seen and this information was placed by the Lynn legislator before the committee on rules, which he is trying to get to authorize a searching inquiry into the death of the patient Lawson and other alleged abuses in the insane asylums of the State.

"You see I was out of work and went to an employment agency in Washington Street in Boston. I got a job and was sent out. Mutt and Jeff are sure some popular. They might just as well have given the two "insurrectos" the spotlight while they were in the rings and stopped every other act. Mutt and Jeff are sure some popular. And when you hurry they were on that program and that even they had to travel some to keep out ahead of all the other sprints in addition you know that it was some show.

"Brutality Was Incredible."

"I did not fancy the place, especially when I was told I would be put at work in the violent ward. But one must work, you know, and I thought I'd chance it. They told me I must come out straight off, that they were short of help. Out I went. I paid my fare out, a matter of 72 cents, and took a carriage to get to the asylum—this by their instruction, mind you.

"They made me deposit 54 cents for the uniform buttons and a dime for the key chain. Of course, I got that 64 cents back when I finished the job.

"Well, now, I'm not a very old man, but if I live to be a hundred I hope never to have such a terrible experience. The brutality of the attendants was incredible.

"Like myself many of them had any special training. I was better off than any of the men I saw, for I did have a little experience in a well-conducted private asylum.

Refused Doctor's Service.

"They kept me in the violent ward over night, but next day assigned me to a patient named Dickinson, whose only mania is a desire to smash windows. He will push his arm through any window. It seems he had escaped successfulness and had cut his arm and one of the surgeons had stitched it. Later he could not remove the stitches with forceps and got hold of a bottle to burn them out of the man's wounded arm. It turned the man terribly. Then they tried to shift the blame to me, saying I had given the man a too much heated compress. That was false.

"Several times I asked a doctor to come and see my patient and treat his scalded arm. He did not do so.

"I told them I meant to expose the things I saw and one of them told me I had better hold my tongue and if I ever got out of the place alive and unharmed he'd thank my lucky stars for it. As a matter of fact on the last day I was in the service they sent up a half-blood patient to attack me and it was all I could do to defend myself.

"Every patient in Westboro who could read, and that was 90 per cent. of them, wept almost with gratitude when they read the story in the Sunday AMERICAN.

"Some officials thought it a great joke and laughed at it.

"'I guess it will drop now,' said one in my hearing, 'now that they've had a little sensation out of us, and we'll be let alone.'

MUTT AND JEFF NOW AS ACTORS

Didn't know they were back? Well, now that's too bad, sure enough. But 'twas only a flying visit from the frontier.

Your old friends, Mutt and Jeff, have been in Somerville for two days. Monday and to-night they kept two big audiences on the whoop when they participated in the Ding Dong Brothers Whoopadrome, a cracker-jack of an amateur circus given by the Somerville Y. M. C. A.

A. W. Evans made the luckless human Mutt more ludicrous than ever, while kind fortune picked Adam Dode out of many a predicament, as he made a most natural Jeff.

BRITISH WAR ON PERSIAN REBELS

BOMBAY, India, March 29.—Two British cruisers, the Dyaelnth and Fox, were to-day ordered to proceed to the Persian gulf and crush the filibusters which are carrying cross to the Persian revolutionists. A battalion of native troops and two mountain guns were sent to aid in the work.

A FEELING OF SECURITY.

You naturally feel secure when you know that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no harmful or habit producing drugs.

Such a medicine is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy.

The same standard of purity, strength and excellence is maintained in every bottle of Swamp-Root.

Swamp-Root is scientifically compounded from vegetable herbs.

It is not a stimulant and is taken in teaspoonful doses.

It is not recommended for everything.

It is nature's great helper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

A sworn statement of purity is with every bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

If you need a medicine, you should have the best.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you will find it on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, fifty-cents and one-dollar.

Sample Bottle of Swamp-Root Free by Mail

Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle, free by mail—it will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys. When writing be sure and mention the Boston Daily American.

More Style

The well dressed woman of today demands more style in her apparel. It was to supply the most stylish—the very smartest—distinctive footwear in Boston that we opened this store.

It is the only shoe store in the city catering exclusively to women.

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Designers and Retailers of Women's Fine Shoes

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WATT & BOND, Inc.
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February 21, 1911.
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Gentlemen:
In compliance with your request, we hereby send you the total number of cigars for 1909 and 1910.
1909 ---- 928,050
1910 ---2,777,456
R. G. SULLIVAN
TEN CENT CIGAR
Manchester, N.H. Feb. 21st, 1911
Number of Cigars purchased by Jaynes Drug Company - 1909 - - - - - 428,700
Number of Cigars purchased by Jaynes Drug Company - 1910 - - - - - 1,856,400

We Sold in 1910 Over 8 MILLION Boston Made 10c Cigars

8,007,150 to be exact.

An increase of more than 5,000,000 over the preceding year.

The letters on the left tell the story.

They show what we have done in 1910 to promote home industry.

From 2 Boston factories alone we took over 4,000,000 cigars.

The Riker-Jaynes Drug Stores more than any other factor were responsible for this phenomenal growth of the cigar manufacturing business of Boston.

We reduced the price of these popular 10c cigars to 6c, thereby increasing the number of smokers. Men who formerly had to be content with a 5c smoke or a pipe can now enjoy a good cigar for little money

We never have had to say, "We are just out." We carry all of them, all the time, in all sizes, shapes and shades.

We know how to preserve a cigar in its very best smoking condition. Smokers repeatedly tell us that the same brand of a cigar tastes and smokes better from one of our cigar cases than if bought elsewhere.

Consider what this volume of cigar business means to the cigar-making industry of Boston.

Cigarmakers are paid $16 per thousand. We furnished employment to over 100 men during the entire year of 1910.

It would take one man 5333 weeks to make these cigars for us.

$128,000 in salaries was paid in 1910 to cigarmakers formaking these cigars for us.

RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORES

You Are *SAFE* When You Buy at Riker-Jaynes

The Family Upstairs—Dingbat's Detective Hands Them a Vacuum Cleaner — By Herriman

POW
BAM
HEAR THAT NOISE UP THERE MR. BRAINS? IT WELL IT'S ABOUT TIME THAT YOU AS A DETECTIVE SHOULD DO SOMETHING TO CLEAN OUT THAT MOB
WELL HERES THE LITTLE HUNDRED HORSE POWER VACUUM CLEANER THAT WILL HAUL THEM OUT OF THEIR HOLES THIS IS THEIR LAST DAY
THE POWER OF SUCTION OF THIS VALUUM ENGINE WILL BRING THEM OUT OF THERE LIKE PINS TO A MAGNET
VERY SUPERIOR
I'VE GIVEN THEM PLENTY OF HOSE THEY MAY BE WAY BACK IN THE KITCHEN YOU KNOW
LETS GO DOWN AND TELL THE DUCHESS ALL ABOUT IT
OOH THEY'RE GETTING DESPERATE IT SEEMS THAT MY NOBLE HUSBAND AND THAT GREAT DETECTIVE MUST BE GIVING THEM A HARD RUN
WHICH ONLY GOES TO PROVE THAT THE POWER OF SUCTION I CLAIMED FOR MY VACUUM ENGINE IS ALL THAT IT SHOULD BE

MAYOR RAPS TAX DODGERS

Latest developments in the Mayor's war on the rich tax-dodgers include bitter attacks on the Good Government Association by Mayor Fitzgerald and Principal Assessor Edward G. Richardson, a demand by Former Councilman Frank A. Goodwin of East Boston for a tax-dodgers' black list, and the payment, under protest, by the trustees of the Quincy Adams Savings estate of $167,175 of the taxes on the estate for 1910 after the Board of Assessors had refused an abatement.

The trustees will now take the matter to the Supreme Court for a ruling as to whether they were trustees or executors on May 1, 1910, when the tax was assessed.

Mayor Fitzgerald, in reply to the statement issued by Secretary Buttomly of the Good Government Association that the Finance Commission was primarily responsible for the payment of $402,000 taken from the State estate, said:

"A little intelligent investigation on the part of the press and of Boston's public citizens would so convince them that the Good Government Association is composed, in the main, of a band of hypocrites. There are undoubtedly some sincere men connected with it.

"'Murder will out' is an old maxim, and it is coming true with the Good Government Association."

Assessor Richardson, in his reply to Secretary Buttomly's statement, says:

The existence of God and of the future world is just as much an "open question" as that of the virgin birth of Christ.

That is the first foolish statement of the Rev. Dr. William H. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent. It is made in connection with the controversy between the "high" and "broad" churchmen of the Episcopal church, which has been going on in this state for a dozen years, and which came prominently before the public over Dr. Van Allen's criticism of a Sunday school teacher, who was alleged to have said that there was a question as to the virgin birth of Christ.

In a letter written to Dr. Van Allen with reference to the alleged statement of the teacher, by Reginald H. Coe, secretary of the Diocesan Board of Education, which Dr. Van Allen received, today, it is declared that the teacher was misrepresented. Dr. Van Allen was also taken to task by a letter from a children in connection with the case.

Replies to Dr. Gordon.

The majority of the Diocesan Board of Education, it is declared, are what is known as "broad" churchmen, who have broken away from the old teachings of the Bible to some extent.

Rev. Dr. George A. Gordon, pastor of the Old South church of Boston, is placed in the so-called broad class, and Dr. Van Allen has declared he has been disappointed for the Watchword and Truth, a Baptist publication, points out in this strong way about Dr. Gordon:

"The quarrel is with men like that bold, dust Congregational leader, Dr. Gordon, who says, as seriously as can be, that Among reasonable Christians of all types of belief, it is, I think, generally felt that it is unessential how Jesus began, or how the entire life of the world began, or to say that 'the evidence for the Virgin-birth is at best slight.' It is with a big chunk of 'Broad Churchman,' so-called, that we join issue, when they tell us that 'the Virgin-birth is one of those open questions upon which the last word has not been said—as if, forsooth, a doctrine which is part of the very depositum itself must be excluded from the fundamentals because middle-dwellers still cavil. By that criterion, the very existence of God and the future world to come, might be catalogued by liberal Christians as open questions!"

Says Error Is Re-echoed.

Continuing Dr. Van Allen said:

"When my much-honored friend, Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson, says in a recent interview that in his early youth he came to regard Jesus as a great teacher almost whose head no halo gathered, he is reading an error of popular unbelief which lacks confirmation of scientific historical study. I challenge him to show any myth of a virgin-birth in ethnic religions. The myths of demigods certainly begot on by gods who have taken human form for that purpose are remote indeed.

"Why, therefore, those who dispute the virgin-birth do so for the same reason that they dispute Christ's miracles, His resurrection, His atoning sacrifice, His proper deity. All who believe in the virgin-birth believe in these other facts. No one who denies Christ's deity believes in the virgin-birth, and no one who flatly denies the virgin-birth really and truly believes in the deity.

The letter to Dr. Van Allen from the Diocesan Board of Education contained this paragraph:

"After careful investigation it has that the statement of your informant as to what the teacher in question said misrepresents the sense of her statement. What she meant to convey, and did convey to the class, so far as we can ascertain, was that there are articles of the Creed which the church has declared as matters of faith but has not defined. In answer to a question unanswering to the lesson she gave the virgin-birth as an illustration of such an article.

"The teacher in question was not engaged by the board to teach Christian doctrine, but to teach pedagogy, and of this she is a teacher of widespread reputation."

DR. VAN ALLEN DEFENDS VIEWS

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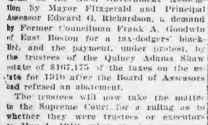
If it's Correct, it's at Morse's



IN OLDEN DAYS

Years ago shift from winter to spring suits was made in fear of catching cold. That was about the only thought.

Today the change is made in a most careful manner by the "clothes-wise" man. The discriminating buyer knows style, quality and workmanship. He knows that there is no line, however much it may be exploited in print and picture, that surpasses

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BOSTON

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Mr. A. S. Dabney has purchased the estate numbered 24 Shafter Street, Dorchester. Messrs. L. S. and H. Barker were the brokers.

The Natick Gas Light Company has purchased an estate on North Main Street and North Avenue, in Natick.

The Massachusetts Title Insurance Company examined and guaranteed the titles.

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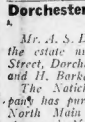

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Are suffering out and white with Indexical Pumice Soap. It removes without injury, all stains, roughness, etc. Unrivaled for the baby. 10c., dealers or mail. Robinson Bros. & Co., Sole makers, Malden, Mass. Est. 1867. Also makers of real olive cleaner.

Indexical Silver Soap. 6-oz. Cake 10c.

To reach Wolf's, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets, by the Washington street tunnel, passengers going south should leave at Friend street exit—those going north at Union street.

The initiative, the referendum, the recall! These are the three pillars of popular government in the mind of Jonathan Bourne, United States Senator from Oregon and president of the National Progressive League. Senator Bourne is in Boston as the guest of the City Club and will make an address to-morrow evening in Ford Hall on "Popular vs. Delegated Government."

Senator Bourne knows by practical experience how the initiative, the referendum and recall work out in practice. He is a native of New Bedford, but at the age of twenty-three abandoned Massachusetts to her fate and Henry Cabot Lodge and went directly to Oregon. Since his arrival there the initiative, referendum and recall have flourished in that State.

The Oregon Senator laughed when told that opponents of direct legislation by the people have expressed fear that the voters would either be confused or could not be trusted to vote intelligently under direct legislation.

"Here's the answer," he said, "polling out a copy of ballot on which some forty or more questions of direct legislation were submitted to the people at a recent election in Portland. The ballot by the way, is far less than the official ballot used at State elections in Massachusetts.

"Three months before any such questions are to be voted on by the people they are filed with the Secretary of State fifty-five days before election every voter receives from the Secretary of State a qualifying pamphlet containing the questions to be submitted to the people at a fair and impartial hearing. Thus they have an intelligent idea of them before they vote.

"It's no crime to criticise a justice of the Supreme Court or any other judge or public official, not even the President. The power of the recall is one of the safeguards of popular government. It is as necessary as the initiative or the referendum. All three must stand or fall together. The people cannot legislate against their general welfare, and they will not recall officials who work for the general welfare. If the people are qualified to elect officials in how they are entitled to recall those same officials on demonstration. That's good logic, isn't it?"

Senator Bourne said he was trying to ascertain the reciprocity sentiment in Oregon.

200 SEE E. M. F. FACTORY FILMS

By J. C. KERRISON.

The eight mammoth plants of the E. M. F. Company were conveyed, transported from Detroit to Boston, where some 200 agents for the E. M. F. and Flanders cars were able to see the inner workings of an automobile manufacturing plant. The method of the transportation of this great establishment was by the films of a moving picture machine, which took three hours to be thrown on the screen in the reception room at the Hotel Lenox. It was an interesting and educational meeting and is another method that Walter E. Flanders has of getting in touch with the salesmen and the public.

About 200 dealers responded to the invitation of B. T. Kinsman, manager of the E. M. F. Boston company to examine and test the company's latest product, the Flanders 20 touring car, also to lunch at the Hotel Lenox and view a series of moving pictures showing the various operations incident to the manufacture of E. M. F. and Flanders cars.

The four Flanders cars were given a series of rigid tests on Commonwealth avenue and the entire satisfaction of the dealers, and was enthusiastically welcomed by them. About one hundred orders were taken for Spring and Summer deliveries, quite a number of E. M. F. dealers were present from Detroit and are travelling in a special car all over the United States, having the new model Flanders and the moving pictures to the company's 1,800 dealers. The party arrived yesterday morning from New York in course of Paul Smith, assistant general sales manager of the E. M. F. company, and continues today to Buffalo. Before the trip is over the party will take in the entire Pacific Coast. The lunch at the Hotel Lenox, with Max Blumaia of Detroit, E. M. F. Boston company as toastmaster, was informal. Dealers and factory officials discussed matters of mutual interest. James G. Heskett, designing engineer of the company, was present and gave a forceful talk to the dealers on up-to-date construction methods. He also described the different operations thrown upon the canvas in the moving pictures which followed.

Other officials of the E. M. F. company who were present and made after-lunch dinner talks to the dealers were R. W. Peyman and Paul Smith. Mr. Peyman gave the dealers all of the new 1911 angles of up-to-the-minute salesmanship in his own artistic way, and, as usual, held the dealers' interest all the time. Mr. Smith explained the object of the trip which his company is making, and stated that it was simply another example of the human interest which Walter E. Flanders, president of the E. M. F. company, gives to everything he does.

Other E. M. F. people present were Lee Lynch of racing fame; Frank Shaw, traffic manager of the E. M. F. Company, F. H. Smith, sales department; William Soules, demonstrator; G. I. McLean and John Waters, moving picture experts.

BOURNE URGES PEOPLE'S RULE

REALTY MARKET SHOWS ACTIVITY

The Samuel F. Peabody estate has sold to Robert H. Farrington, the title passing through Katherine F. Hughes, a lot of land on Back Bay Park, near the West land avenue entrance to the Fens, containing 6,740 square feet of land, taxed for $20,000.

Malden G. Richardson has sold to Ellen M. Nichols the four-story brick house and 4,750 square feet of land at No. 93 Belvidere street, near Dalton street. Each 10x, all assessed for $10,500, of which $3,900 is on the land.

In the North End the three-story brick house and 1,440 square feet of land at Nos. 15-19 Hanover street, off Hanover street, all taxed for $6,800, have been sold to Rosa Lavenio to P. Robert Gaeser et al.

Annie R. Levine has sold to Ina M. Jones the frame house and 600 square feet of land at No. 38 East Dedham street, South End, all taxed for $1,500.

The brick apartment house and 4,160 square feet of land at No. 60-68 Clifford street, near Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, all taxed for $18,400, have been purchased by Hasty Mary Ann Price. The land is rated for $7,200.

Catherine F. Knowland et ux have sold to Mary Pickens the frame building and 3,600 square feet of land at No. 7 Sidney place, near Rutland street, Roxbury, all assessed for $5,500, of which $1,200 is on the land.

In Malden the four-tenement frame house and 7,500 square feet of land at No. 50 Meredith street, near Nottingham road, Dorchester, also the 2-tenement frame cottage and 6,400 square feet of land at No. 56 Rockview street, near Enfield street, West Roxbury, all assessed for $5,000.

Edward M. Skinner has sold to Hannah Green Wood the three brick apartments, each with 1,524 square feet of land at Nos. 1,282-1,288 Washington street, corner of Sylvia street, Roxbury, all assessed for $15,700, of which $3,300 is on the land.

In the Judges of the Municipal Building has sold to Ida M. Carlisle & Price Company the two-family house at No. 10 and 12 Lawrence avenue, Medford, with about 3,000 square feet of land, all assessed for $4,400 being rated for $1,000 of the land. Purchaser Frank J. Watts buys for investment and to erect a home.

W. J. McDonald of No. 95 Milk street recently sold the old building, numbered 101, Harvard avenue, corner of Holton avenue, Allston, to Charles F. and William H. Sullivan. The building contains twelve apartments, each with a number of rooms, three-quarters of which are bath, and all modern improvements. The building is situated on a ground block with some convenience, and has a frontage of 50 feet on Harvard avenue and about 155 feet on Holton avenue with a beautiful park in the rear. The total assessment is $35,500, of which $7,500 is on 5,348 feet of land.

BAKED BEANS TO BOOST BOSTON

Mayor Fitzgerald, who spoke on business, boosting and boosting, Hugh Dalycroft, who spoke on the same topic, with the exception of the Beans, annexed the honors with the Baked Beans, and the speakers at the luncheon dinner of the Virginia Publicity Association at the American House. It was a "Boost Boston" feast and even Mr. Ingersoll caught the fever.

Mayor Fitzgerald pleaded for the beans, the traditional bean of Boston, as one of the means to show the outside world the true greatness of Boston.

"If I was a business man and wanted to start a good business I would start baking beans in Boston," he said. "If they can bake beans in Indianapolis and make a success of it, and we cannot do it, then we ought to quit up shop."

The Mayor, in pointing out this industry, said that at the time of the San Francisco earthquake it was thought impossible to send a carload of baked beans, but it was proved they could be baked in Boston. The order was placed with a Boston firm, but the beans were baked in Baltimore.

The Mayor points out the wonderful advantages that exist in Boston and the opportunities that lie in the Hub. Boston's development, he named as one place where water facilities and land other than those further inland to the west.

The fire department schools and parks came in for their share of praise the fire department saving $1,000,000 a year, and other towns, the Mayor said, did not fear Boston because they knew they could rely on Boston for help.

Business Notice.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

GEMS STOLEN AS WOMAN SHOPS

BROCKTON, March 29.—Today the guise of a telephone inspector got entrance to the home of Mrs. D. Corey Keith, while Mrs. Keith was shopping, and stole diamonds valued at $800 which had been in the family for years. The police have no clew to the man's identity. A servant who watched the man left him for less than four minutes, but when she returned the man and jewels were missing.

Mrs. Keith, who is a member of the famous Keith family, resides at No. 1084 Main street in the aristocratic section of the city. She had just left the house when the bell rang. The maid believing the man was a telephone inspector, admitted him, but kept a close watch on his actions. During his visit, however, the bell rang again and she was compelled to answer. When she returned he was gone.

New Medical Compound

A chemist who was convinced that the old method of taking internal medicine for skin troubles was wrong, discovered that an extract from a particular tree was good for the skin. This important vegetable extract, by a method of special treatment with other healing ingredients, forms the remedy known as Cadum. Since its introduction Cadum has cured many cases of eczema and other unsightly, irritating and distressing skin diseases after other remedies had failed. Cadum stops the terrible itching of eczema at once, and begins healing the first time it is applied. It is also good for pimples, blotches, hives, tetter, itch, acne, herpes, scaly skin, psoriasis, ringworm, rash, sores, chafings, eruptions, itching piles, scurvy, scabs, etc. Many of the results obtained by the use of Cadum may be truly called wonderful. Trial box, 10c.

MEN'S RETREAT OPENS SUNDAY

The annual retreat for men conducted by the Young Men's Catholic Association will open Sunday evening at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Harrison avenue. Men from all parts of the city will attend. The retreat will close Palm Sunday. The Rev. Joseph Mary, S. J., will conduct the service in the main church each evening, while that in St. Valentine's chapel will be in charge of the Rev. William J. Conway, S. J., of the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

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Decorated and under entirely new management.

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For this week we offer some of the best values in blue, white, perfectly cut diamonds ever shown in this city. They vary in weights and sizes from the ¼ to 1½ carats. Most dealers would be compelled to name prices on these. Diamonds nearly twice the price we quote. Select one of these fine diamonds and ask any reputable jeweller in Boston to appraise or value it—and if he does not say it is worth nearly double the price we ask, bring it back and your money will be promptly refunded. Here is a partial list of note weights and prices:

¼ carat—$12
⅜ carat—$19
½ carat—$37
1 carat—$52
⅝ carat—$82
¾ carat—$92
1¼ carats—$58

¼ carats...$55
⅝ carat...$29
1 carat....$42
2 carats...$110
⅞ carats...$18
½ carat....$34
1 carat....$72
¼ carat...$62
1½ carats..$96

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MORRIS WINS FROM SCHRECK IN SIXTH ROUND

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

HARVARD OUT ON FIELD IN FOOTBALL PLAY

MORRIS PROVES REAL HOPE OF WHITE RACE

SAPULPA, Okla., March 29.—Carl Morris, tithe of limb and hand-muscled, but lacking the experience that goes to make a champion, obliterated the ring career of Mike Schreck of Cincinnati by knocking out the once noted pugilist in the sixth round of a scheduled fifteen-round encounter here yesterday.

Today this hitherto obscure town, the name of which had not met the gaze of the outer world until Morris announced himself as the "white hope" of the race, and that he would be the one to bring down the painted flag of the Johnson, is a throbbing mass of humanity. The entire population of this city and the surrounding towns have gone fairly light-mad in the belief that Morris will ultimately receive the pugilistic heavyweight championship to the Caucasian race.

In a night the population of the hamlet has increased double, for every incoming train brought a host of sporting men to the open-air arena which had been constructed purposely for the fight, and they all came in the expectation of seeing Morris conquer his pugilistic foe in knockout method.

Prior to the fight Sapulpa assumed the aspect of Reno on July 4 last, when Johnson battered down the once mighty Jim Jeffries and gained a sinecure on the championship. A non-edified about the streets of the town all day, gossiping about the one topic—the fight. All were as one in singing the praises of Morris, while Schreck, but for his handlers, had no word of encouragement.

The fight was not without its attendant features. Take sections of the hurriedly constructed stands collapsed. That no one was hurt seriously is accounted for by the fact that the stands gave way early in the day while there were but few in the seats.

Only one man was slightly hurt, and that was Jim Jeffries, who, a prominent member of Sapulpa's banker-and-broker contingent, when the crash in front of the moving picture machine occurred.

From the elements seemed to have conspired against Schreck, for the ring had no corner entered the ring than an odious sandstorm battled in on the scene and caused a delay of fifteen minutes.

Fifty Women See Battle.

More than 10,000 persons witnessed the battle. Of this number there were fully half a hundred women seated in a box near the ring were Mrs. Morris and several friends. They added their mite to the confusion and great was the outburst when victory was assured for Morris.

It was an impatient and noisy audience that awaited the beginning of hostilities. Thirteen cents per person was charged. Many of the plains occupied the ringside seats. They did their best to roll themselves hoarse and their carspitting skills and whistling kept the spectators at a high pitch. Scattered throughout the crowd were several Indians. Morris himself is of Cherokee extraction and is the red man's local pride in the combat.

As to the battle itself, it was a bloody affair. At the end the contestants were pummeled beyond the point of recognition. And it was the sight of his own blood that prompted Morris to settle Schreck when he did. A stiff left to the face given by the third round brought the claret from the Dutchman's nose. It was then the gray man had drawn the crimson from Morris'.

Saved by Gong in Third.

The Sapulpa giant was infuriated, and fought madly. He rushed Schreck about the ring, landing with both hands heavily. A right to the law brought Schreck down for the first time in this round. Schreck arose slowly, but Morris was after him and Morris sailed in with a fusillade of blows which Schreck tried routinely to ward off. A right to the head once more upset Schreck, and promptly upon landing Morris beat the Dutchman down for the third time with a body gigglo.

Schreck was on his knees when the gong ended the round.

The gong was Schreck's salvation for a brief while for he would surely have been knocked out had not the round ended then.

Morris was relentless in his attack and at the end Schreck's face was a mass of purples.

The issue was never in doubt after the first minute. Morris towered over his opponent, and had fully forty pounds the advantage in weight.

Schreck's experience saved him time and time again, and his peculiar crouching position bothered Morris. Morris took all that was sent his way, and seemingly was a man of iron.

The hardest wallops that Schreck could get over did not bother the ex-Brennan. In the clinches his 240 pounds told on the Cincinnati fighter, and it was not long before it looked a cinch that Morris would win a victory to the end. As the fight progressed Morris improved.

He developed a defense for the bout that Schreck had, and then he began to solve the Dutchman's crouch. It was the solution of the crouch that brought the end of the battle. Schreck met one of Morris' rushes with his head and landed to the ribs. Instead of running into it Morris sidestepped and rammed his left to the ribs. The blow sent Schreck back against the ropes and as he was catapulted back Morris shot over the right that spelled sleep.

Morris went into the ring a prohibitive favorite, his backers offering to bet 5 to 1 that he would win and 2 to 1 that the fight would not go ten rounds.

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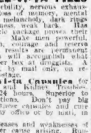

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MURPHY WINS STIFF BATTLE

Eddie Murphy, the South Boston lad, faced a tough proposition at the Armory A. A. in Paul Kohler, but he got away with the decision after a hard scrap. Tommy O'Keefe of Philadelphia won over Johnny Glover of South Boston in ten rounds; Buck Crouse of Pittsburg knocked out Frank Perron of Pawtucket in five rounds, and Mark Conley of South Boston won from Kid Willette of Fall River in six rounds.

Buck Crouse of Pittsburg created a good impression with his clean and clever boxing against Frank Perron of Pawtucket. The latter is by no means an easy foe, and Crouse's decisive win proves his ability.

Johnny Glover and Tommy O'Keefe went along at a rapid pace for ten rounds, both boxers scored hard and often. Glover's left took the cleanest, and although he failed to make a grandstand finish he deserved better than what he received. O'Keefe did not have enough ammunition to entitle him to the decision.

Eddie Murphy faced his hardest game in Paul Kohler, and although he won he did so only after a stiff ten-round contest. The Cleveland boxer showed well in the early part of the contest, and until Murphy got his bearings was going along on even terms. Murphy snapped along at a lightning pace at the opening of the fifth round, and from then on piled up a tremendous lead.

RESULTS OF OTHER BOXING BOUTS

BUFFALO, March 29.—Paddy Lavin received the decision receiving gained by Tommy Quill in Boston, when he clearly outpointed the Brockton lad in a ten-round bout here. There was no decision, but Lavin land won by a neat margin in the early rounds and in the last three had a wide margin in his favor.

KENOSHA, Wis., March 28.—Before a crowd of nearly 3,000 persons Johnny Conlon defeated Harry Forbes in a fight that for action and clever boxing has seldom been excelled. The fight went the limit of ten rounds, but there was no question in the minds of those who witnessed the fight that Conlon had easily the better of it.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Frank Klaus of Pittsburg stopped "Montana Jack" Sullivan in the third round at the Fairmount A. C. Klaus dropped the Westerner in the first round. The end came in the third, when Sullivan went down twice. The referee then stopped the bout.

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OLIVER AMES LOSES 1ST GAME

WESTFIELD, March 29.—Westfield High School won a fast game from the Oliver Ames High School of North Easton in Columbia Hall by a score of 33 to 25. The game was the first in a series between the two teams for the championship of the State among High Schools, each team being the fastest in its section.

Westfield was superior in shooting and blocked harder and cleaner. Except for a brief space in the second period, Oliver Ames passed the ball better than Westfield.

The Whip City team took the lead soon after the opening of the game and retained it until the close, the first ending 20 to 13.

Eaton and Elliott deserve great credit for the Westfield victory, scoring 25 of their team's points. Whitcomb starred for Oliver Ames. Nelson appeared to be one of the fastest forwards who has appeared on the floor this year, and Tracey played well for Oliver Ames. The second game between the teams will be in North Easton Saturday night.

SOCIETY AND CLUBMEN SEE BOXING BOUTS

A list of seven exhibition bouts between prominent amateur boxers was given at the Arlington Boat Club before a record attendance of club men and guests. Although nobility of an exhibition was lacking the majority of the bouts were not lacking in action and interest for the three rounds involved.

Young Callahan boxed Young Haley, and Carl Morrison met Albert Gotta in a class listed as 122 pounds.

Joe White was matched with Joe Smith in the 126-pound class, and the 135-pound class had three matches which brought Kid Murphy against Young Coleman, Bill White against George Meringo and Bill Mooney against Henry Carvano. The heavyweights class was represented by Ted Salisbury and John Mahar.

TROLLEY BOWLERS LOOKING FOR MATCH

Members of the Trolley Bowling League of Worcester are anxious for a match against trolley bowlers of this section on April 4. For the first time in several years there is no trolley league in this section, but inasmuch as several of the old rivalries of past seasons might like to take a fall out of the Worcester cracks, they have been given an opportunity by addressing A. J. Johnson, No. 107 Main street, Worcester. The leading men in the league are coming to this city for the day and will roll in the afternoon, but stipulate that any team accepting the challenge must be bona fide employes of a street railway.

HENRY TIES WORLD'S RECORD FOR 75 YARDS

NEW YORK, March 29.—Gwynn Henry, the Texas sprinter, demonstrated that he is one of the fastest men in the world, in a trial at the Thirteenth Regiment Armory this evening. Henry was able to do 7 3-5s, equalling the world's mark made twenty years ago by L. H. Carr.

Henry has come to New York to meet Jim Rosenberger, the champion sprinter and quarter-miler of the Irish-American A. C., in two special races at the Thirteenth Regiment games next Saturday night. They will be at 100 yards and 220 yards.

TAFT AND SHERMAN GET LEAGUE PASSES

CHICAGO, March 29.—President Taft and Vice-President Sherman will be the guests of baseball next season of the American League. President Ban Johnson is on a trip to Invincible Cleveland in Washington, and will present the courtesies of the American League to the United States executives in the Capital City Thursday.

The cards, prettily engraved, are enclosed in a handsome black seal pocket book, with the initials of Mr. Taft and Mr. Sherman on the outside.

CLEVER BOXERS ARE MATCHED AT ARMORY

The Armory A. A. has matched Jack Mansfield of the West End, the 158-pound N. E. A. A. U. champ, and Roger Leonard of Cambridge, in a special bout, for the amateur show March 31. These long-reach boys will put up one of the best bouts ever seen at the Armory.

The club has also matched Johnnie Fallon, the 126-pound N. E. A. A. U. champ, and Jimmie Higgins of Charlestown. These boys have met before at the Armory, and put up the best bout (105-pounder) ever seen over there. Entries for the 106, 125 and 145-pound classes close to-night.

DANIELS EQUALS RECORD IN SWIM

PITTSBURG, March 29.—C. M. Daniels of the New York A. C., successfully defended his 220-yard championship swimming title at the Pittsburg Natatorium against McGillvary, Illinois A. C.; Fried Fuhr, Missouri A. C., and Hebner of the Illinois A. C. Daniels equaled his own world's record of 2:25 2-5 for 220 yards and set a new world's record of 2:26 for 200 meters. Hebner was second, Friedell third.

James Hay of the Pittsburg A. C. won the Middle Atlantic championship plunge with 98 feet 1 inch.

SHARKEY TO WRESTLE LUNDIN AT COLUMBIA

The announcement that Hjarmar Lundin and Jack Sharkey will meet in a finish wrestling match at the Columbia to-night has created unusual interest among followers of the mat game. Lundin is known as one of the most consistent performers among the heavyweights, and is a top-notcher of several years' standing, while Sharkey is a young man who has been rapidly coming to the front, and is regarded by good judges as a future champion.

ANDERSON TO GRAYS.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 29.—Outfielder George Anderson of the Boston American League team has been purchased by the Providence Eastern League Club. Anderson came to the Boston Americans last year from Duluth by draft.

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Sports of All Sorts—By Riley

ALMOST ANY MORNING NOWADAYS, "Bill" Quinn, the crack coach of the field event men on the Harvard track team, may be seen airing himself about the streets of Cambridge astride one of the classiest pieces of horse flesh that has been seen in the University city for many a day. While one of the most capable track coaches in the business, Bill has not limited his interests to this game, but is also an enthusiastic horseman and knows how to handle a spirited animal. The horse is Derkow, the winner of the Brookline Country Club mile several years ago in time about 1:40, and has been in Quinn's possession about a week. He says that he intends to use the beast for pacing Reggie Foster, the Harvard captain and sprinter, this Spring, for he declares that it is the only thing he can find fast enough for the purpose. He is also thinking of using it on some of the hurdlers, for the animal is a star at this sort of game.

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LONG WILL THE MEMORY OF "Uncle Jock" Bowen live after he has departed this sphere. This was brought to mind by the numerous inquiries regarding the veteran trainer and driver at the Combination Park subs. It developed that he is spending the Winter and Spring with his daughter in Northfield, Vt.

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THAT BRITISH POLO TEAMS HAVE got to get a handicap on in winning the international cup held by the Whitney team of this country, or they will be in bad favor with King George. I have received private word that his kingdom received the English challenging team at Buckingham Palace and told Captain Lloyd that he looked to him to bring home the trophy, or it would be really too bad to disappoint King George but I am one who will have to be shown before turning over the prize which Queen Mary passed to us a couple of years ago.

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THEY HAVE A GAME, CORKY OLD gentleman in Montreal, who by the way, I note is named William Gentleman. This gentleman is seventy-one years of age and is looking for bother. He is just aching to get on a walking match with Edward Payson Weston, and don't care whether it is for one hour or twenty-four. It will be the track for him, though, for he says when walking he wants the people to see what he is doing. Now let's hear from Weston, who was always willing to give walking lessons.

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SOME HAVE INSISTED THAT LOTTA Crabtree was the owner of Nut Boy, the former Grand Circuit star, but we have it direct from her that the only mare of note she ever possessed was Sonoma Girl. Jack Crabtree, brother of Lotta, was the owner of the other horses raced. For the good stunt Nut Boy had been for him Jack has offered to would never sell him. But he did and at auction, too, the sale having taken place this week. However, that doesn't alter the fact that Nut Boy deserved to have been kept a pensioner by Jack.

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MATT WELLS, THE PRESENT HOLder of the English lightweight championship and possessor of the Lord Lonsdale belt, is coming over in these shores shortly. He is going to meet several of the American lightweights at the English weight of 135 pounds at 2 o'clock. On what Packey McFarland would do to him at that weight. And they will probably meet late in May or early in June.

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ALL UP! FIFTEEN MORE DAYS then you fans can go to the opening game of the season. The professional baseball season starts to-day with the opening game of the Pacific Coast League on in California. This is the first season to start and the last to close, playing the last league game on October 22.

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BRIGHT AND EARLY THIS MORNING I received a wire from A. Mack, manager of Paddy Lavin, in which he says the bout of last night at Buffalo fully attests that Lavin lays all over Tommy Quill and proves Jack Sheehan's decision as the Army a white ago was bad. Just how one bout can alter a previous one bad is too deep for me, particularly when several weeks have lapsed between them. However, Mack feels a lot better, which is the principal thing, so far as he personally is concerned.

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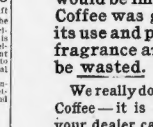

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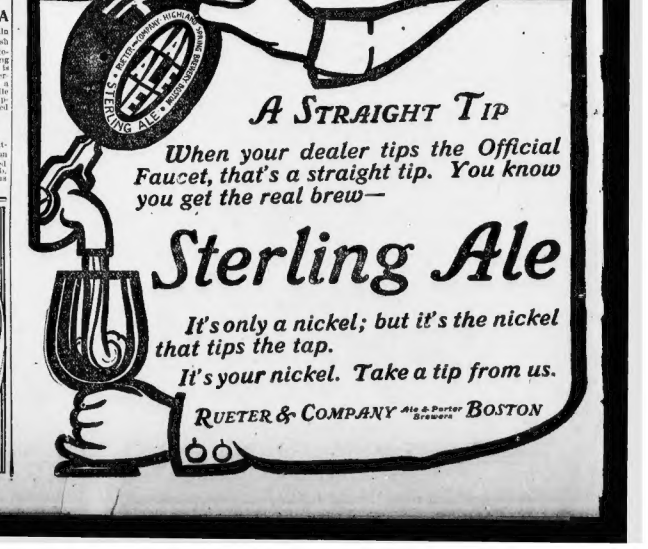
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MANY RED SOX ARE LAID UP

By MERTON E. BURKE.
American Correspondent with Red Sox on "Coast-to-Coast" Tour.

MERTON E. BURKE

SALT LAKE CITY, MARCH 29.—With the prospect of a wonderful scenic trip across Colorado to Denver before them, and at present located in the picturesque city of the Mormons, the Red Sox Colts to-day cheered up from their grouches of the past week and went out to try conclusions with the strong Salt Lake team. Upon arrival here yesterday they tackled the local team for eight innings, and with Collins pitching, landed the score at 9 to 2.

The Colts have felt neglected since the newspaper men gathered with the Doubleday aggregation in the South, but since the return of Treasurer McBreen and correspondents the youngsters have cheered up a bit and they are getting worked up over the scenery and their prospects. The boys have certainly been in hard luck, Corrigan himself is laid up with a split thumb. It's a bad break and when he will be in the game is a problem. Feeney shows no sign of arm improvement but is up a good hurling and fielding game. Myers got spiked on the hand at Reno and has a mighty bad gash.

Yerkes is still out of the game and likely to be for some time. Pringle is back in the game, his arm being better. Nehlinger and Riggert are doing very nicely with their stakes. Aside from that, as Dinkie-spiel would say, we are all doing well.

Treasurer McBreen has made the jump direct to Denver and will not follow the team to Pueblo. The acquisition of Karger and Collins spruced up the pitching force of the Colts considerably.

The assurance that Engle will play third on the Regulars, that Nunnemaker, Riggert, Perry, Yerkes, Nehlinger and others are slated for the season's line-up and that so many of the doubtful pitchers are with the Colts, makes their work of the next few days very interesting. Engle is in excellent shape and right on the job. He played short yesterday to cover Yerkes' job during his lay-off. Nunnemaker is certainly some outfielder. Perry and Riggert seem to be running neck and neck.

Collins and Karger, we know about; Hunt does not look well. Arellanes is in better shape than last season. Moser will probably make good. He looks like real business, and I think John I. Taylor will keep him on.

WHO'S WHO WITH THE RED SOX

No. 9—Frank Smith, Pitcher and Utility.

You've seen him before, Frank Smith, pitcher, of Pittsburg, Pa. After he gets in training away from Pittsburg it develops he's as white as they make them. Born in Smoke City, October 28, 1881. First played professionally with Raleigh, N. C., in 1900; was with Birmingham in 1901, 1902 and with Cleveland Americans from 1903 to 1909 inclusive. Came to Boston in 1910. Favorite sport, keeping his young son Rod out of mischief. Chief diversion, trying to get thin.

RUSTLERS OFF FOR COLUMBIA

By R. W. LARDNER,
American Correspondent with Rustlers on Augusta Tour.

R.W.LARDNER

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 29.—The order has gone forth to break camp. The Rustlers packed bag and baggage, uniforms, bats, ball and other peripherals last night and arose this morning in time to take the 7.30 train for Columbia, the gem of South Carolina. This is the first stop on the twelve days march homeward.

This city undoubtedly is an ideal place to leave after a stay of over three weeks. There are folks who imagine that ball players have a cinch just because their hours of toil are brief, most of their expenses paid, and much of their time set aside for amusement.

But there comes a day when this life begins to pall. It has been pulling for a week in Augusta, Ga., and few tears will be shed by the departing Bostonese.

President Russell will not make the journey with his athletes. It is hard for him to tear away. But he can't see the beauty of moonlight strolls. He may go to Columbia and Greenwood, but from the latter burg he will travel straight to New York. It is Manager Tenney's prayer that he may not run into cold weather and rain on the way.

An effort to land the catcher from the 1910 New England League Club failed, according to an announcement made last night by Manager Tenney. The price asked by the Lynn ex-mere was considered unreasonable by the Boston management. The Brothers and others were slowly entertained last night at the local Y. M. C. A.

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Now I call your attention to this picture. Your garments will be cut, trimmed and made on the premises. You can visit my workrooms and see your clothes under process of construction.

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The Lesson of Tarrytown

By DOROTHY DIX

THE Cassandras of the Anti-Suffrage party, who are always indulging in doleful prophecies of the awful things that will happen to women and the country if women get the ballot, are earnestly requested to consider the recent election at Tarrytown, N. Y.

It appears that Tarrytown is urgently in need of a new water supply, new mains for fire protection, and a new horseless fire-fighting engine.

The taxpaying women in Tarrytown have a right to vote on matters affecting taxation, and so what did they do on election day but rise up, as one woman, and go to the polls and vote the $70,000 tax needed to supply these improvements for their town.

Millionaire women, society women, working women, white women, colored women, green anti-women, all voted for a pure and abundant water supply that would conserve the health of their families and protect their homes from danger.

Of course it's exactly what anybody with a grain of common sense in his head would know that a lot of women would do. It was precisely what the women of New Orleans did ten years ago when they voted millions of dollars of taxes on themselves—for New Orleans women own three-fifths of the real estate in that city—to sewer the city and drain it, and furnish pure water to it.

Discouraging to the Antis

Anything that makes for the health of the well being, or the uplifting of the community will always have the women back of it. The Tarrytown election must be horribly discouraging to the Antis, because it shows conclusively what women will do with a vote when they have one.

Also it demolishes another favorite "Anti" theory, and that is that women wouldn't vote, even if they could—because the Tarrytown women simply turned out en masse, to carry the reform they wanted, and that their votes gave them the power to achieve.

The attention of the Antis is also called to the curious way in which the men of Tarrytown behaved on election day. Not a single one of them slugged or insulted a woman at the polls. This is marvellous, but true.

Just why men who are kind and polite, and even somewhat in awe of women, all the balance of the year, should rise up on election day and beat and maltreat the ladies at whose tables they are accustomed to dine, and whose patronage supports them is one of the mysteries that nobody can explain. However, the Anti-Suffragists have assured us, with tears in their eyes that this is just what will happen if women voted, although under our balloting system we are all compelled to vote along with our neighbors at the same polling place.

It is therefore with infinite pleasure that we record the reassuring fact that none of the wealthy and cultured gentlemen of Tarrytown were suddenly trans formed into hoodlums and thugs on election day, nor did they even so much as muss a lady's head nor tear her new Spring frock off.

On the contrary they behaved with just as much courtesy toward voters as they would have done at a garden party, and the women found the act of voting attended with just the same thrilling dangers that dropping a letter into the post-office would have had.

Nor does the inexplicable conduct of the men of Tarrytown rest with their failure to blacken the eyes of the women voters. One of the principal arguments of the Antis against giving women the ballot is that it will break up the family.

Yet, according to all reports, many of the women were accompanied by their husbands or brothers or male friends, and the two sexes came along as amicably together to the polling place as they would have gone to church or the theatre or the golf links, or anywhere else where they had a mutual interest.

More marvelous still, instead of the fact of the women having carried a mock seeded reform by their votes precipitating a sex war in Tarrytown, the men lit blazing bonfires in the street to celebrate the event, and marched around the village belted in front of the house of every woman taxpayer and voter and gave her three rousing cheers.

And They'll Go Farther

And that's the way woman suffrage worked out in Tarrytown.

But cheer up, Mabelle, the worst is yet to come. These horrid, bold, unwomanly Tarrytown women who voted are not satisfied with their victory that they are going to proceed with their nefarious work.

They are going in for cleaner and better streets, a new high school, and other improvements, and they are dead sure to get them, because they have learned that the woman with a ballot in her hand can get what she wants. She's a sovereign, and not a vassal any more.

But that's Tarrytown election is an awful blow to the Anti-suffragists. It knocks their theories and their ostrich-plume gallery west.

The Wonder Girl's Unfinished Symphony

LOVE has been tuned into music
Since ever the World began;
Man has sung unto Woman,
And Woman has sung unto Man;
Telling the ancient story
Their never weil told in words;
Learning the lyric language
That God first gave to the birds.

When the visions of Love have faded
And the letters of Love are dimmed;
When Age is an urn of ashes,
Where Youth was a goblet brimmed;
When her beauty seems but a shadow,
Remembered yet for away,
Still you can hear her singing,
As if it were yesterday.

Still in the lonely twilight,
As you dream by the graying hearth,
You hear the Song of the Ages—
The Song of the Heart of the Earth.
It is mingled of all the music,
Of all the loves that were,
Of all their sinnings and sighings—
But the voice is the voice of Her.

'Tis a tune that is new forever,
And a tune that's forever old;
'Tis a theme that is never finished,
A tale that is never told.
For the lips that sing are captured
By the lips of one more strong,
And the music yields in the twilight
To the silence that is song.
CHESTER FIRKINS.

The Mystery of the "Villa Rose"

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CHAPTER XX.
The Geneva Road

THE car had nearly reached Annecy before Celia woke to consciousness.

And even then she was dazed. She was only aware that she was in the motor-car and travelling at a great speed. She lay back, drinking in the fresh air. Then she moved, and with the movement came to her recollection and the sense of pain. Her arms and wrists were still bound behind her, and the cords hurt her like hot wires. Her mouth, however, and her feet were free. She started forward, and Adele Rossignol spoke sternly from the seat opposite.

"Keep still. I am holding the flask in my hand. If you scream, if you make a movement to escape, I shall fling the vitriol in your face," she said.

Celia shrank back, shivering.

"I won't! I won't!" she whispered piteously. Her spirit was broken by the horrors of the night's adventure. She lay back and cried quietly in the darkness of the carriage. The car dashed through Annecy.

It seemed incredible to Celia that less than six hours ago she had been dining with Mme. Daurray and the woman opposite, who was now her jailer. Mme. Daurray lay dead in the little salon, and she herself—she dared not think what lay in front of her. She was to be persuaded —that was the word—to tell what she did not know.

Meanwhile her name would be executed through Aix as the murderess of the woman who had saved her.

Then suddenly the car stopped. There were lights outside. Celia heard voices.

Sank Back in Terror

She started and saw Adele Tace's arm flash upward. She sank back in terror; and then the car rolled on into the darkness. Adele Tace drew a breath of relief. The one point of danger had been passed. They had crossed the Pont de la Caille. They were in Switzerland.

Some long while afterward, the car slackened its speed. By the side of it Celia heard the sound of wheels and of the hoofs of a horse. A single-horsed closed landau had been caught up with as it jogged along the road.

The motor car stopped; close by the side of it the driver of the landau reined in his horse.

Wethermill jumped down from the chauffeur's seat, opened the door of the landau, and then put his head in at the window of the car.

"Are you ready? Be quick!"

Adele turned to Celia.

"Not a word, remember!"

Wethermill flung open the door of the car. Adele took the girl's feet and drew them down to the step of the car. Then she pushed her out. Wethermill caught her in his arms and carried her to the landau.

Celia dared not cry out. Her hands were helpless, her face at the mercy of that grim flask. Just ahead of them the lights of Geneva were visible, and from the lights a silver radiance overspread a patch of sky.

Wethermill placed her in the landau; Adele sprang in behind her and closed the door. The transfer had taken no more than a few seconds. The landau jogged into Geneva; the motor turned and sped back over the fifty miles of empty road to Aix.

As the motor car rolled away, courage returned for a moment to Celia. The man—the murderer—had gone. She was alone with Adele Rossignol in a carriage moving no faster than an ordinary trot. Her ankles were free, the gag had been taken from her lips.

If only she could free her hands and choose a moment when Adele was off her guard she might open the door and spring out on the road.

She saw Adele draw down the blinds of the carriage, and very carefully, very secretly, Celia began to work her hands behind her. She was an adept; no movement was visible, but, on the other hand, no success was obtained.

The knots had been too cunningly tied.

And then Mme. Rossignol touched a button at her side in the leather of the carriage.

The touch turned on a tiny lamp in the roof of the carriage and she raised a warning hand to Celia.

"Now keep very quiet."

The Fatal Flask

Right through the empty streets of Geneva the landau was quickly driven. Adele had peeped from time to time under the blind. There were few people in the streets. One or twice a sergeant-de-ville was seen under the light of a lamp.

Celia dared not cry out.

Over against her, persistently watching her, Adele Rossignol sat with the open flask clenched in her hand, and from the vitriol Celia shrank with an overwhelming terror. The carriage drove out from the town along the western edge of the lake.

"Now listen," said Adele. "As soon as the landau stops, the door of the house opposite to which it stops will open. I shall open the carriage door myself and you will get out. You must stand close by the carriage door until I have got out. I shall hold this flask ready in my hand. As soon as I am out you will run across the pavement into the house. You won't speak or scream."

Adele Rossignol turned out the lamp and ten minutes later the carriage passed down the little street and attracted Mme. Cobbin's notice. Marthe Gobin had lit no light in her room.

Adele Rossignol peered out of the carriage. She saw the house in darkness. She could not see the busybody's face watching the landau from a dark window.

She cut the cords which fastened the girl's hands. The carriage stopped. She opened the door.

Pushed Into Chair

Celia sprang out on to the pavement. She sprang so quickly that Adele Rossignol caught and held the train of her dress. But it was the fear of the vitriol which had made her spring so nimbly. It was that, too, which made her run so lightly and quickly into the house.

The one woman who acted as servant, Jeanne Tace, received her. Celia offered no resistance. The fear of vitriol had made her supple as a glove.

Jeanne hurried her down the stairs into the little parlor at the back of the house, where supper was laid, and pushed her into a chair. Celia let her arms fall forward on the table. She had no hope now. She was friendless and alone in a den of murderers, who meant first to torture, then to kill her.

She would be held up to execration as a murderess. No one would know how she had died or what she had suffered. She was in pain, and her throat burned. She buried her face in her arms and sobbed. All her body shook with her sobbing.

Jeanne Rossignol took no notice. She treated Celia just as the others had done. Celia was in pain, against whom she had no animosity, by whom she was not to be touched to any tenderness. Compassion had unconsciously played her useful part in their crime.

But her use was ended now, and they would deal with her accordingly. She removed the girl's hat and cloak and tossed them aside.

"Now stay quiet until we are ready for you," she said. And Celia, lifting her head, said in a whisper:

"Water!"

The old woman poured some from a jug and held the glass to Celia's lips.

"Thank you," whispered Celia gratefully, and Adele came into the room. She had the story of the night to Jeanne, and afterward to Hippolyte when he joined them.

"And nothing gained!" cried the older woman furiously. "And we have hardly a five-franc piece in the house."

"Yes, something," said Adele. "A necklace, a good one—some good rings and bracelets. And we shall find out where the rest is hid—from her." And she nodded at Celia.

The three people ate their supper, and while they ate it, discussed Celia's fate. She was lying with her head bowed upon her arms at the end of the table, within a foot of them. But they made no more of her presence than if she had been an old chair. Only once did one of them speak to her.

"Stop your whimnering," said Hippolyte roughly. "We can hardly hear ourselves talk."

He was for finishing with the business altogether to-night.

"It's a mistake," he said. "There's been a bungle, and the sooner we are rid of it the better. There's a boat at the bottom of the garden."

Celia listened and shuddered.

"He would have no more compunction over drowning her than he would have had over drowning a blind kitten.

"It's cursed luck," he said. "But we have got the necklace—that's something. That's our share, do you see? The young spark can look for the rest."

But Helene Vaughier's wish prevailed. She was the leader. They would keep the girl until she came to Geneva.

Thrust Girl Into Closet

They took her upstairs into the big bedroom overlooking the lake. Adele opened the door of the closet, where a truckle-bed stood, and thrust the girl in.

"This is my room," she said warningly, pointing to the bedroom. "Take care I hear no noise. You might shout yourself hoarse, my pretty one; no one else would hear you. But I should, and afterward—we should no longer be able to call you 'my pretty one,' eh?"

And with a horrible playfulness she pinched the girl's cheek.

Then with old Jeanne's help she stripped Celia and told her to get into bed.

To Be Continued To-morrow.

"The Mystery of the 'Villa Rose'" will be concluded Friday. It will be followed on Saturday by the publication of the first instalment of H. G. Wells's greatest story, "The War in the Air," which gives a thrilling picture of the invasion of the United States by a hostile air fleet and of the clash of the races for supremacy in the sky.

Air and Love---They Make You Happy

By ETHEL WRENN

"THE Road to Happiness," that supposedly unattainable, Will-o'-the-wisp condition of perfect harmony, has been found. The finder—may a niche in the Hall of Fame be preserved for her—is Dr. Mary Halton, and incidentally she is one of the brightest little women I have ever had the pleasure of bothering.

To me a woman physician has always been a somewhat awesome individual. The fact that she, with her feminine nerves and accompanying eccentricities, has had the temerity to take up an occupation that is associated with blood and wounds and operations, is and always will be a source of amazement to me.

So when I went to Dr. Halton's home I was prepared to be awed. And I was.

And Here's the Secret

Firstly, Dr. Halton's bold announcement that she had discovered the secret to happiness took my breath away. Secondly, her stirring and truth-propounding arguments in favor of her claim left me wide-eyed and, I suspect, open-mouthed. It was all so absurdly simple, and yet so profoundly reasonable, that I was amazed to think somebody hadn't thought of it before.

"Is it true that you have discovered the Road to Happiness?" I asked Dr. Halton.

"Yes," she replied piessantly, but in all seriousness. "It is air; fresh air, and lots of it."

I gave a negative nod. I couldn't understand her answer.

Dr. Halton laughed. "I see you don't grasp the significance of what I just said," she continued. "Well, I'll explain. Happiness on this earth is health. Perfect health is perfect happiness. When we are healthy troubles roll off us like water off the proverbial duck's back. We may have some temporary sorrow caused, perhaps, by the death of a friend or relative, but if we are enjoying perfect health we can take such things—inevitable things—philosophically. With perfect health to support it the human mind can overcome anything.

The Air Road to Happiness

"Now, I said I had discovered the road to happiness, which is named 'air.' Any body with fully developed lungs—and not one person in a thousand has them—who makes it their business to get pure, fresh air all the time will have perfect health."

"Did you say that not one person in a thousand has fully developed lungs?" I asked her, amazed by the ratio.

"Yes," she replied. "And I am afraid that there are not that many."

"But look at the workmen," I vehemently. "The hundreds of ditch diggers, stone breakers, ironworkers, drillers and others who work and exercise out in the open air all the time. Do you mean to say that their lungs are not fully developed?"

"Yes," said Dr. Halton. "It is a mistaken idea to think that those men, because of their arduous physical labor, possesses the full development of their breathing powers. Those men develop their lungs and muscles to a certain extent. There they stop, and they never get any further. I don't say that they, for the most part, are not physically stronger than the clerk or bookkeeper, because they are, but they are far from being fully developed, either in muscle or lung power.

And Love's Essential

"For instance, take a college athlete. He only exercises occasionally, but he brings all his muscles into play, and also his lungs. Match him against one of those workmen who has been swinging a sledge all his life. Put them in a race, and who would show the greatest breathing development? The athlete, of course. If the workman wanted to run a race he would have to undergo a course of training, in spite of the fact that all his life had been devoted to hard physical work."

Impressed, I shifted my questioning to another tack.

"But aren't there other things that go with perfect health to help you along the road to happiness?"

"Yes," said Dr. Halton, "love is essential to nearly every normal human being. Even with perfect health, a person unloved cannot hope to know their health; that is, of course, if they are of a loving nature.

"I know a woman who has everything you could think anybody could wish for. A handsome home, rich husband, and all the luxuries of life. I told her one day that she must be very happy.

For Mind and Body

"'Happy?' she exclaimed to me, and laughed a very ugly, bitter laugh; 'why, I am the unhappiest woman in the world. My husband is seldom home. I often eat supper alone. He is not loved, and I know it. There cannot be happiness without love.'"

"Then something else is needed besides perfect health to bring happiness," I remarked triumphantly.

"No, no," said Dr. Halton, "the mind must be healthy as well as the body. This loveless woman was sick mentally, and therefore unhappy. Love for the mind, air for the body. There's my prescription for perfect health and happiness. And that is a prescription that almost everybody can fill themselves, but they won't. It is the greatest tonic in the world, and costs nothing, yet few will have it. If they did, I and lots of others like me would have to go into some other profession to gain a livelihood."

As I left the presence of this clever little woman, I instinctively drew a big breath of air into my lungs, and it felt good.

To-day's Best Story

A POLITICIAN who was making a house-to-house canvass came to a farm house, when he observed a pretty lass standing at the gate, and the candidate gracefully lifted his hat and politely asked:

"No doubt, my dear madam, your husband is at home?"

"Yes," responded the woman.

"Might I have the pleasure of seeing him?" inquired the candidate.

"He's down in the pasture a-burying the dog," was the reply from the likely lass at the gate.

"I am sorry indeed to learn of the death of your dog," came in sympathizing tone from the candidate. "What killed him?"

"He wore himself out a-barking at the candidates," said the woman.

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Married Life Second Year

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

In Which Helen's Mother Writes She Is Coming to Visit Her

CARTERSTOWN, Mo.

My Dear Daughter:

After all this time it really seems as though I am going to have the long desired chance to visit you. Old Mr. Bradley has just paid us that $500 note we have been owing your father so long. We never thought we would get it, and now your father wants me to take that money for a two weeks' visit to you.

Your father's practice has been fairly good this last year, although a younger doctor from the East, Boston, I think, has settled here and is trying to get many of his patients.

I somehow feel that I shouldn't spend the money in this way, but your father insists that the change would be good for me. And as I have never visited you since you were married he thinks I should do so now. And of course you know how anxious I am to see you and the baby, and your husband.

I have just had Mrs. Baker make me a black cloth suit, three-quarter coat and pleated skirt. Everyone says it looks very nice on me. Then I have had her make over my black silk, and I have that gray cloth I got when you married, which, if I change the sleeves, will be just as good as ever. I thought with these, and, say, three new shirt waists, I could get along very well. What do you think? Father wants me to get one new dress while I am in Boston, so I don't want to get anything more here. Write me what you think about it.

I am going to bring some blackberry and apple jelly and some of your favorite green tomato ketchup. I think I'll have room for some preserves too. I put up both watermelon and peach last Fall. Which do you like best?

Now your father wants me to start the first of the month. He says if I put it off something will happen and I won't go at all. Now, will that be convenient for you? Write me so soon as you get this and tell me what you think about it all. Lovingly, your mother,

ELIZABETH L. ALLEN.

P. S.—You have always wanted one of your grandmother's quilts. Aunt Laura has the old log cabin pattern, but I have the Star of Bethlehem and the double T. Which would you like? Also I can put it in the bottom of my trunk and it won't take up much room.

Helen held this letter in her hand a long time after she had read it. Her mother coming to see her! That thing she had wanted so much when she was first married; but now—there was so many reasons why she dreaded for her mother to visit her now.

In all her letters home she had implied she was very happy, and that Warren was kind and considerate of her. It was both her pride that prompted this and a desire to keep from her mother the pain which the knowledge of her daughter's unhappiness would bring. So she had written home joyful, glowing letters.

And now for her mother to come and find that she was far from happy. That Warren was irritable and selfish, and that they were growing farther and farther apart. If it were a few days she might dissemble, make her mother believe that she was happy as her letters implied. But two weeks! She knew it would be impossible to deceive her mother for two weeks.

And Warren—what would be his attitude? None of her people had ever visited her. She had nothing to judge by as to how he would receive her mother. And just now, when things between them were more strained and chilled than they had ever been! Her mother could not have chosen a more unfortunate time.

And yet she could not write her this. She must not even hint to her to come. There was no other way.

When she handed Warren the letter that evenin- it was with varying emotions.

"Here is a letter I got from mother to-day. She is coming to visit us."

"To what?"

"To visit us," she repeated quietly. "Read the letter yourself."

Warren read the letter and laid it down without comment.

Helen waited tensely for some remark, but he made none. At last she said shrilly:

"Warren, whatever your attitude has been toward me lately, this is my mother's first visit, and I hope you will help make her stay a pleasant one."

"Now, that's just like you! That's the sort of thing which makes me mad clear through. Why do you imagine that I won't make her visit pleasant? I haven't said anything to the contrary, have I?"

"No, but I thought——"

"That's just it. You're eternally expecting something unpleasant from me, and that's why nine times out of ten you get it! I suppose as soon as you read your mother's letter you immediately jumped to the conclusion I wouldn't be civil to her. Now didn't you? Well, I'll tell you right here, if I'm not civil to her it will be your own fault. Now just mull that over!"

Helen made no answer, but her cheeks burned deeply as she refolded the letter into the envelope, and in strained silence again took up her sewing.

FOR MEN ONLY
If you like real good cake, tell her to order Drake's from your grocer. It will save her lots of bother. It will save you money.

Desperate Desmond

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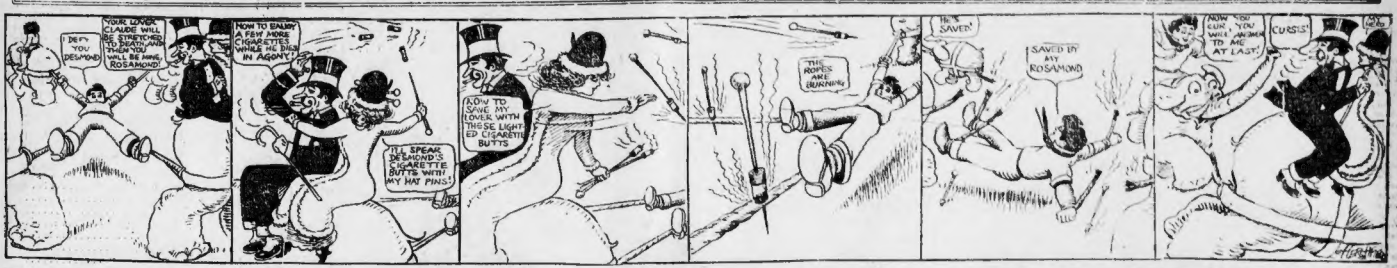
DEFY YOU DESMOND!
YOUR LOVER CLAUDE WILL BE A FINISHED MAN TO-DEATH-OR-DISHONOR TO-DAY
HOW TO ENJOY A FEW MORE CIGARETTES WHILE I'M DYING IN AGONY
I'LL SPEAK DESMOND'S CIGARETTE BUTTS WITH MY HAT PINS!
KNOW TO SOME LOVER WITH THOSE LIGHTED CIGARETTE BUTTS
THE ROPE ARE BURNING
HE SAVED!
SAVED IN MY ROSAMOND
NOW YOU WILL KNOW TO ME AT LAST!
CURSE!

This is no way for one gentleman to treat another. But, then, of course, everybody knows that Desmond is no gentleman. That's a handy thing to say about a man, we admit, but when a man does such stunts as this, it is no time to mince words. Again we repeat without fear of successful contradiction, Desperate Desmond is no gentleman.

The villain appears to be agitated, but not because he knows he is doing wrong. That doesn't worry him a bit. He is afraid something may happen to spoil his little scheme for disintegrating Claude Eclaire. That's why the cur is smoking so many cigarettes and smoking them so fast. But why is Rosamond catching the butts on her hatpins?

And why does she throw the butts, impaled on the hatpins, over toward Claude? Surely he is up against it hard enough without being subjected to any addition of tortures. Besides, it can't be possible that the dear girl is going back on our brave hero after all the vicissitudes they have gone through! No, dear, reader, nothing like that at all.

Rosamond knows exactly what she is doing. And she can throw unusually straight, too, for a girl. How many men do you suppose could throw four hatpins in succession and make each of them land just where he wanted it to? We doubt very much whether we could do it ourselves. But you never know what you can do until you try.

Our heroine's plan worked to perfection. The cigarette butts burned through the ropes and Claude Eclaire is free. Now, if Desmond had not been smoking, this never could have happened, and we don't see how Claude could have been rescued in any other way. Hence this, don't get us wrong, we're not condoning remarks about cigarettes.

Hurriedly selecting the swiftest elephant of the three that are left, Claude, starts in pursuit of the villain, who still has Rosamond in his power. Can he catch the cur? Ah, that is the question. If we knew, we would tell you right now, but, as it is, you'd better leave an order with your newsdealer for to-morrow's paper.

The Old Maid Teacher

By KENNETT HARRIS

As soon as the farmer's wife had departed with her last armful of merchandise the storekeeper ran his tester into her cream of butter and carefully sniffed at and tasted the core that he extracted.

Then Bailey, who had been watching the transaction with interest, objected to this last proceeding. "Seems like the time to have done that would have been before you let her have the bill o' goods," he remarked.

"If I'd done that I'd have made her mad," explained the storekeeper. "I knowed the butter was all right, anyway."

"Hey tryin' it out o' curiosity, hun?" inquired Old Man Somerinsky, contemptuously.

"That's the idee," the storekeeper admitted. "I like to get at the inside o' things."

"I used to be thata-way up to the time I was twelve-year-old an' took my daddy's watch apart," said Washington Hancock. "I was a tender age, then, an' I was tenderer still when the ole man got through with me; so I hain't never been extry curious since. But there's some folks never do get over investigation—like Todd Hollenbeck."

"Todd was born with an inquirin' mind an' he begun to find out things just as soon as he was old enough to take notice. He found out that red hot stoves was unpleasant to touch an' that green apples had a bad effect on the stomatick, an' that bum bees had their own ideas as to the pertinacy of domestic life, just about the same as we-all; but he kep' right on.

Took Nothing for Granted

"He wouldn't take nothin' for granted. He'd snoop around sakin' questions an', with his eyes twinklin' mischievous an' forwards, an' his nose pokin' right ahead, pokin' an' pryin' an' sniffin' an' tastin' an' heftin' an' plumbin' till he seemed like there wasn't nothin' ever happened 'at got past him.

"He kept his butter tester right in his hand all the time Todd did, an' I'd hate to say how many good watches he spilled jabbin' into the wheels an' mixin' 'em up out o' curiosity.

"One time there was a schoolma'am come to Coon Holler that was certainly a fine lady an' a right good teacher. There wasn't none of them schoolmas of hers that she couldn't whip single-handed; but she wasn't extra young an' she wasn't particker good lookin'.

"The only thing, she had about twicet the hair on her head that most of the womuns had around there, and it was always just so an' the question was, was it all her own?

"Now, in them cases, it's most ginerally the custom to leave it open to argument; because if they're once settled, they lose all of their interest an' folks don't have nothin' to talk about; but Todd said he was a-goin' to find out.

"How you a-goin' to do that?" we ast him.

"S'e'mine," says Todd. 'I tell you I'm a-goin' to find out.'

'Shucks! No, We Vindicated Him'

"A couple of nights later a shotgun went off from the back door of Old Maid Hannah's cottage, where the schoolma'am was a-boardin'. Seemed like the schoolma'am jist wanted to see if the gun was loaded, so'd'in' to her tell, but Todd Hollenbeck was like simplin' around for a week after an' he was too busy to take the time to set down. I reckon nobody knows to this day whether the scoundrel an' wore her own hair or somebuddy else's.

"Then, there was the case of Bill Trask. Bill had been treasurer of our county for twenty years. We'd have new sheriffs an' new coroners an' new clerks an' Congressmens, but there wasn't nobuddy bitten to handle the county money but Bill Trask.

"Now, Bill, good-hunterd feller, Bill was, allus ready to do a neighbur a good turn an' honest to the day was long. Plain as an ol' shoe, an' I've known him to pay more'n a feller's taxes outen his own pocket when he couldn't pay 'em himself. Everybuddy liked him. I reckon Todd liked him sincet, ow'y he couldn't help his prin' nature.

"Well, Todd got to figurin' that money was powerful skass an' warrants was at a turrible discount consider'n' the taxes that was paid in an' the small size of the delinquent list; so he got to figurin' some more an' pryin,' an' pokin,' an' natin' questions; an' by the time he go through he done proved that Bill had been a-stealin' from the county at the rate of eight or ten thousand a year. Proved it, by jacks!

"Now there was the idea. It was like Rufe's butter tester, too late to do any good; an' everbuddy had been satisfied with the way things was a runnin'. Nobuddy'd done missed that eight thousand and whatever it was. But pranks stirred up for nothin' an' poor Bill feelin' jest turrible about it an' goin' around as if he expected to be arrested."

"Wasn't he arrested?" inquired the storekeeper.

"Shucks," No," replied Hancock. "We had a meetin' an' done passed a vote of confidence in him an' then tinderated him in the next election. Bill was a popular feller."

Od Gilt

Old gilt, such as the gilded frames of chairs or old picture frames and mirrors, if they do not require refilling entirely, may be brightened by using an excellent mixture of three ounces of white of egg and an ounce of chloride of potash or soda. This should be painted over the surface with a feather or a water-color paint brush.

Which Shall She Marry?

Readers Aid "M. E. B.," Who Is Tempted Between Love and Riches

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

"WHAT shall I do?" was the question asked by "M. E. B."

"I work hard to support my mother and sisters. Two men are in love with me.

"I love 'A,' but it will be seven years before he can support a wife.

"'B' I respect; he is good and kind and could marry me at once, thus taking the responsibility off my shoulders and helping me with the care of my mother and sisters. Will you help me to decide?"

"M. E. B.'s" question was such a difficult one that I called on many friends for help in answering her.

What Three Girls Say

They have responded nobly. Here are some of their answers. From three young women who work in the same office come the following three answers:

"If I were in her place I would marry Mr. B. If she marries him now she will grow to care for him.

"Long engagements as a rule do not turn out well. During a wait of seven or eight years the man in the case may grow tired of her.

"She will not be getting younger, and the cares and worries of both business and home will have their mark behind. He will see some younger person whose beauty is still young and fresh, and, forgetting all about his engagement, marry her. In this event M. E. B. will be left without either man.

"In marrying Mr. B. she will be relieved of the necessity of supporting her mother and sisters, and she will be in a position to aid her sisters to better marriages."

M. A. M."

The following advice is peculiarly in spite of the fact that the writer believes love to be the least important of all things.

"No doubt, love is the keystone of our future, but continued work and worry may have some effect on this foundation, and if, after toil for the next seven or eight years, you marry this young man you really love, and his income is not sufficient to give you all this world's gratifications, do you not think the same recollection of having an opportunity of having all this in a fine long past would, in a slight degree, mar this true love?

"My advice is to accept the golden chance now offered.

B. A. C."

Will Be a Faithful Wife

This girl believes that happiness will eventually be the reward of every sacrifice that "M. L. B." may make in marrying Mr. "B."

"M. L. B. may marry the wealthy man, have a fine home and be able to take care of her mother and younger sisters in comfort. She may often have vain regrets of Mr. A., but it must be a great satisfaction to any young girl to know that she has done the right thing by her mother, who has done a great deal for her.

"It is not possible that Mr. A., after six or seven years, may be come fond of another pretty face or a more youthful figure? What, then, would become of M. E. B.?

"If M. E. B. respects and admires Mr. B., and he will do the right thing by her, there is no doubt but she will appreciate his little home and make him a good, loyal and faithful wife.

H. E. M."

"Wait," Says This Woman

This writer decides in favor of true love and Mr. A.:

"I would advise her by all means to marry Mr. A., the man she loves. M. E. B. is but another example of the countless thousands of girls who are tempted away from the path of true happiness by a soft living.

"Seven years! Wait seven times seven if need be; true love is eternal.

"MRS. L. PORTER."

A Letter From a Man

This letter needless to say, is from a man:

She should wed the man with money for the specific reason that, being a woman, if she marries the one she will be sure to wish she had taken the other; and the material benefits she receives from marrying the rich man overbalance the love which is a thing of the imagination. L. A. CAPALDO.

"Wait awhile" says A. Stern; but the question is, will "M. E. B." take the new view?

She should wait and work about four years, and then, if she still loves A. very dearly, as compared with B., she should marry A. Reason: First, it is more important to love than to be loved; second, by the time she is twenty-five she will know and feel more decidedly how to choose.

Advice Is Dirt Cheap

And the Worst of It Is You Have to Listen to It Whether You Want It or Not

"FALL to it from me to butt into another man's business," said Beeson to his neighbor Jagway. "But I have been watching you sanding good lumber for an hour and I can't help saying that you don't know how to make a wheelbarrow. Your instructions are all right, of course, and you may be able to make a windmill or a sawhorse, but when it comes to making a wheelbarrow you don't stack up quite high enough, that's all.

"I don't want to make a wheelbarrow," replied Jagway, sharply, still pounding away at the dog kennel he was building. "When I want any information from you I'll ask you for it."

"Yes, you've been in a misguided way. Everything you have been doing is wrong. If you want to make a wheelbarrow you must start right. You should select a couple of good pieces of ash for the handles. Some people say that hickory is just as good, but it isn't. Hickory splits more and cold until it looks like a corkscrew. The way some of making that wheelbarrow is a disgrace."

"It isn't a wheelbarrow, and how it'll When I want a wheelbarrow I'll go to the store and buy one."

"Well, if you're not trying to make a wheelbarrow, you must be trying to make a cradle, and I can be useful to you there, too. If there's anything I'm proud of it's my skill in making cradles. I did nothing else for thirty years and I should want to see my neighbors' children sleep in such as the above here. Here's a child a-wrong way to make a cradle and you're making the wrong way. There's nothing more exasperating that a badly made cradle."

A Scientific Cradle

"Mrs. Flinders, who lives down the street a little way, had a great time with her youngest child. The infant seemed to be fretful for any good one. It was yelling and sending in riot calls all day and all night, and the poor woman couldn't get any sleep. I stepped into her house one day and saw at a glance what was the matter. That unfortunate child's cradle was all warped jaded. An India rubber baby couldn't sleep in it. I took that cradle home and, guided by scientific rules and the baby slept so soundly in it that Mrs. Flinders had to pour tee water over the young one the next morning to wake it. Now—"

But Jagway had taken his tools and departed.

Those Who Seek The BEST GET

BORDEN'S

Malted Milk

Those Who Accept Substitutes are Losers

Malted Milk Dept.
BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK CO.
New York

"US BOYS"

Members of the "Yung Amerika Malgumated Reserch Society"

SAY SKINNY, TAKE THIS NOTE UP TO THAT HOUSE WHERE WE BROKE THAT WINDER SMOKE IT TINNER THE DOOR AND RUN AWAY QUICK. IT'S GOT SEVENTY FIVE CENTS IN IT. WE WOULDN'T TRUST YOU ONLY WE KNOW YOU'RE HONEST NOW HURRY UP
THEN KIN I GO TO THE BALE BALL LEAGUE
SURE
Here is three quarters for a new winder, we are very sorry we did it and we want you to say it is only mine. if you will not get us arested yung amerika malgumated Reserch Society of N.-A.
THIS IS A COPY OF THE NOTE WHICH SKINNY HAD TO DELIVER
HURRY BACK NOW SKINNY
HE IS STARTING
COME RIGHT IN LITTLE BOY
HE'S BEEN GONE TWO HOURS NOW. I'D TOT HE'D PINCHED. GEE WHIZ MURDERER
(YES)
ANTICIPATION.
GEE YOU KNOW I FEEL KINDER SORRY FOR SKINNY MAYBE HE WON'T GET AWAY QUICK AND MAYBE HE'LL BE CATCHED AND PUT IN JAIL—IF HE IS IT'S OUR FAULT
I THINK THIS IS SOME KIND OF A JOKE
ANY THAT'S ALL RIGHT ABOUT THE WINDOW, I USED TO BE A RICH KID MYSELF NOW SOME MORE DOPE AND I'LL KEEP YOUR NAME OUT
THE DOOR IS SUDDENLY PULLED OPEN AND SKINNY ACCIDENTALLY ENTERS
3 HOURS AFTER
GEE WHIZ I'M A PRETTY GOOD KID AFTER ALL DON'T YOU THINK SO SKINNY DID WE DO IT
IF THEY ONLY KNEW THAT ALL THIS SYMPATHY IS WASTED
IN ORDER TO SETTLE UP OUTSIDE BUSINESS) AND GET THINGS INTO SHAPE FOR BASE BALL SEASON IT WAS DECIDED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING TO PAY FOR DAMAGE DONE THE OTHER DAY, CUT OUT ALL FOOLING AND GET DOWN TO HARD WORK.
YOU CAN BET YOUR LIFE THAT SKINNY DID NOT EXPECT THIS.

The House With No Address

A Story of Love and Tragedy, by E. Nesbit. Copyright by Doubleday, Page and Company

CHAPTER VI.—(Continued)

It was pale after the light of rosy romance, but that it was something warm kisses attested.

"How nice!" said Fe; "I've got some one to be near you. You're always a hard mun, but you've always got to remember he let me come as nurse to my pretty. I took you away from your mother's side as she lay dead; she owed on slowly, "and no one else ever did a hand's turn dressing or bathing you. That's something. Her and I were like sisters," she said, "and there were other reasons"——she paused on a sob.

"You poor, dear darling," said Sandra fervently. "so we were fond of my father and my mother got him. I do really see it all this time."

"I don't know how you dare to think of such things," said the nurse, but she did not deny it.

"It was decent of him to let you come," the girl said.

"It was that. But he made me promise that I'd never tell you I was anything to your mother. And I've kept my word up to now, haven't I, pet?"

"And now."

"Oh, well—a promise is a promise—and while he lived I would as soon have broken it as butch Dr. Church. He's dead, and that makes all the difference. So if you do go this wild goose chase to London, you'll have your own aunt—as good as—to watch over you and see that people respect you like they ought."

"I can't go on calling you Nurse. I shall call you Aunt Medusa. Do you mind?"

"So long as you're within arm's reach you may call me what you like," said the nurse fondly. "I've had my own troubles. I've been married—such a handsome man as he was—a Jew, it's true, but such a way with him. I never had a moment's peace till I buried him. And that reminds me." She coloured her cheek nervously.

"I ought to tell you, my dear—your grandfather told me all about that wicked musical gentleman who tried to take advantage of you."

"He's Dead," She Said

"Ah!"

"He told me he'd get you to marry him on false pretenses, the scum! But don't you worry about him, love. He's dead, and buried, you'll be bound. Your grandfather used to send him money to keep him quiet. But I know he hasn't sent to him for over a year. So I lay he's dead and out of the way."

"Ah," said Sandra.

"And if you do hold to this moonlight flitting, what I say is let me send to my little Issachar's brother—the gentleman he is, rolling in money, a house agent and a good 1 may other things besides, if what my Eph used to tell was true. He was always quite the gentleman to me, sends me fifty pounds every Christmas for a present regular as the day comes round.

"I'll drop him a line and see if he won't help us. You won't be any the worse for a gentleman of means to back you, who's, as it were, a relation. He could be up to any of their underhand schemes with a young girl."

The letter to late husband's brother wrote very piously answer to her favoured appeal. "Come and see me," he said.

The Dance Before Moses.

So when the three, with their boxes and bales, reached London, they went to see Mr. Moses Mosenthal, house and real estate agent and ... the rest.

"I must see her dance," he said. "I cannot take the risk of helping a maiden to make of herself a fool. That is not the way for Moses Mosenthal. Go now to this quiet hotel," he permitted the address. "And to-morrow night, when she is from her journey rested, to my house at 8—the swell chance for her. And the young man shall bring the flute with."

It was in a narrow, dress-door room, among rolled pieces of cloth piled to the ceiling, with coats hanging from curved bars and dress patterns outspread on a rosewood centre table, with coats half finished embellished with white tacking threads and mysterious patches of what looked like sacking, that Sandra first danced to Mr. Moses Mosenthal. Two shut doors to the left bore the legend: "Mr. Mosenthal. Show-passe. Private."

The dark blue velvet curtains that concealed the intimacies of the "trying on" served well as background.

Sandra had flattened her pretty nose at a florist's window and presently gone in and bought long trails of smilax and white chrysanthemums. These formed a wreath for her head and an old lisp muslin wrapper that had been her mother's, artfully wetted and creased and dried in the Eph used to tell was true. He was always quite the gentleman to me, sends me fifty pounds every Christmas for a present regular as the day comes round.

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To-morrow I find you a house that no one know where you are. See?

I am house agent. I have many houses. And I have among them, I have without doubt the house for you—the house without an address."

To Be Continued To-morrow.

Try This Home-Made Cough Remedy

Costs Little, but Does the Work Quickly, or Money Refunded.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with ½ pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a pint bottle, then add the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

You will find that this simple remedy takes hold of a cough more quickly than anything you ever used, and usually ends a deep-seated cough in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for whooping cough, croup, bronchitis and other throat troubles. It stimulates the appetite, is slightly laxative, which helps end a cough.

For quick relief, easier and better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for $2.50. It keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant.

Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, rich in guaiacol and all the natural pine elements, which are so healing to the membranes. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

This point of making cough syrup with Pinex and Sugar Syrup originated in a Toronto laboratory. Druggists in the United States and Canada that it is often imitated. But the old, successful formula has never been equalled.

A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

I QUICKLY CURED MY SUPERFLUOUS HAIR

You May Cure Yours too by a Simple Remedy Learned from the Japanese

I Will Give the Benefit of My Experience to Anyone Free of Charge

Ever since I was a little girl, I was cursed with a growth of Superfluous Hair. I didn't mind it so much then, but when I grew to young womanhood he humiliation grew upon me until it became a nightmare. I actually got to the point where I was ashamed to go out of the house, and at the coming of a stranger, I would run and hide my face. The thing preyed on my mind and there were times when my spirits were at their lowest ebb, and I often thought life a burden.

I tried every sort of powder, paste, cream, lotion and remedy that I could my hold of—even the painful electric needle—but to no avail. The hair never only would not leave, but it grew worse. What I suffered under the needle, I can't describe.

One day a friend, who had travelled much, mentioned a simple little remedy learned from the Japanese. It removed the hair at once and without pain. I tried it a few days, and I became a happy girl in America. The hair had disappeared. It left no scar, and it didn't start at all. Today my face is still free from any trace of it.

I am glad of this opportunity to let all my sisters who want to have the chance to remove the hair from their face, send to me and I will tell them how I did it. I will also send to her my own original recipe, which I have used for years, and which has never failed in the slightest degree. Address, Miss Caroline Lyons, Dept. 1144 G. St., Washington, D. C.

SPECIAL ENDORSEMENT: As the method there referred to has been endorsed by our readers, some unscrupulous publishers, we advise all readers thereof, to take advantage of this, Dupont's offer and write her at once as above stated.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

IRREGULARITY IN N. Y. STOCKS

NEW YORK, March 29.—The stock market opening was irregular to-day with fractional gains and losses. The strength which characterized the market yesterday was not in evidence. Canadian Pacific was up ¼, Consolidated Gas ½, Missouri Pacific up ¾, Reading up ⅛, Atchison up ⅛, U. S. Steel off ⅛, Amalgamated Copper off ⅝, and Lehigh Valley unchanged.

The Curb market opened moderately active. Irregularity at New York market was reflected in London and Americans fluctuated. The London market was without feature.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	129½	129	129⅝
Boston & Maine	141¼	141	141
N. Y., N. H. & H	148¾	148	148
LAND COMPANIES.			
West Boston	10	10	10
TELEPHONES.			
American	147¾	147⅜	147½
MINING STOCKS.			
Butte Coalition	18¾	18⅛	18⅛
Calumet & Arizona	56⅝	56½	56½
Calumet & Hecla	400	400	400
Copper Range	68⅝	68⅜	68⅜
Daly-West	23⅛	23	23
North Butte	28¼	28⅛	28⅛
Utah Con	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜
Wyandotte	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
MISCELLANEOUS.			
United Fruit	132	131	131
Un. Shoe Mach	28¾	28⅜	28⅜
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amal. Copper	64	63¾	63¾
Am. Ag. Chem	57⅜	57	57
Am. Woolen, pf	90	90	90
Swift & Co	101	101	101
U. S. Steel, pf	127¾	127¾	127¾
East Butte	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛
Giroux	6 7-16	6 7-16	6 7-16
Inspiration	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Kerr Lake	6¼	6¼	6¼
Superior Boston	4¼	4	4

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Net.	13c	12c	12c	12c
Bay State Gas	22c	22c	20c	20c
Bohemia	2¾	2¾	2⅝	2⅝
Butte Central	2¼	2⅜	2	2
Clarence	7 7-16	7 7-16	7	7
Cliff Con.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Crown Res. reduc.	1 3-16	1 3-16	1 3-16	1 3-16
Davis Daly	1 13-16	1 13-16	1 13-16	1 13-16
Dom. Coalinate	10	10	10	10
Goldfield Con.	6¾	6 7-16	6 7-16	6 7-16
Larose	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
La Rose	9 9-16	9	8 15-16	9
McKinley	1 13-16	1¾	1 13-16	1 13-16
Mexican Metals	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16
Ohio Copper	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
R. I. Coal	14	14	14	14
Tonopah	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Trethewey	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Vulture Mines	7¼	7¼	7	7
Yukon Gold				

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

Cactus Copper	15c	16c		16c
Diebe	4¾	4¾	4¾	
Eagle & Blue Bonnet	2	2	2	
East Dome	47c	47c	47c	
Kruger	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	
Manhattan	6c	6c	8c	
New Baltic	3½	3½	3½	
Osceo	1¾	1¾	1¾	
Pewaukee	70c	70c	70c	
United Verde Ex	3 5-16	3 5-16	3 5-16	

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	110⅜	110⅛	110⅛
Atch., T. & S. F., pf.	102¾	102¾	102¾
Balt. & Ohio	104¼	104¼	104¼
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Canadian Pac.	241⅜	241	241
Chesa. & Ohio	82⅜	81⅞	82⅛
Chic. & N. W.	152¾	152¾	152¾
Chic. & M. St. P.	145¼	145	145
Denver & Rio G.	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
Erie	29¼	29¼	29¼
Gt. North., pf.	127⅜	127¼	127¼
Illinois Central	136¾	136¾	136¾
Kan. City So	34½	34⅜	34⅜
Louis. & Nashv.	146¾	146¾	146¾
Lehigh Valley	176⅜	176	176
Missouri Pac.	53⅜	53⅛	53⅛
N. Y. C. & Hud.	107⅜	107⅛	107⅛
N. Y. Ont. & W.	49	49	49
Norfolk & West.	100⅝	100	100⅝
Northern Pac.	124⅛	124⅛	124⅛
Pennsylvania	126¾	126¾	126¾
Reading	158	157⅝	157⅝
Rock Island	30⅜	30⅛	30⅛
Southern Pac.	118	117⅞	117⅞
Southern Ry. pf.	71	71	71
Union Pacific	178⅛	177⅝	177⅝
Wabash	15⅜	15⅛	15⅛
Wabash pf.	32	32	32
Wisconsin Cen.	97⅞	97¾	97¾
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	64	63¾	63¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	54⅝	54⅜	54⅜
Am. Ice Securities	24½	24⅜	24⅜
Amer. Sm. & R.	76¾	76	76¼
Am. Sug. Ref.	119	119	119
Am. Tob., pf.	81	81	81
Anaconda	42⅝	42⅜	42⅜
Consol. Gas	140	140	140
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	146¾	145¾	146⅜
Am. Can	12⅝	12⅜	12⅜
Am. Can, pf.	89	89	89
Am. Cot. Oil	44	44	44
Am. Hide & Leather, pf.	46¾	46¾	46¾
Am. Linseed	14	14	14
Am. Locomotive	43¾	43¾	43¾
Am. Smelting	76¾	76¾	76¾
Am. Steel Foundries	33¾	33¾	33¾
Am. Tel. & Tel.	147¾	147¾	147¾
Am. Tobacco	247	247	247
Am. Woolen	33¾	33¾	33¾
Anaconda	42⅝	42⅜	42⅜
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Colo. Fuel & Iron	37⅝	37⅜	37⅜
Consol. Gas	140	140	140
Corn Products	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
Distill. Secur.	29⅜	29⅛	29⅛
Gen. Electric	159	159	159
Int. Paper	20	19⅞	19⅞
Int. Paper, pf.	70	70	70
Mackay Cos.	76¾	76¾	76¾
Mackay Cos., pf.	71	71	71
Nat. Biscuit	120⅜	120⅛	120⅛
Nat. Lead	65¾	65¾	65¾
Pacific Mail	27	27	27
People's Gas	107⅝	107⅜	107⅜
Pressed Steel Car	33¾	33¾	33¾
Pullman Co.	157	157	157
Republic I. & S.	33¾	33¾	33¾
Republic I. & S., pf.	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	33¾	33¾	33¾
Sloss-Sheffield	70¾	70¾	70¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	37⅝	37⅜	37⅜
U. S. Rubber	33¾	33¾	33¾
U. S. Steel	71¾	71¾	71¾
U. S. Steel, pf.	119¾	119¾	119¾
Utah Copper	45	45	45

WAGE INCREASE ON LEHIGH VALLEY

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, March 29.—General Manager J. F. McGuire of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has announced that an increase of wages has been granted trainmen along the company's system, following a conference with representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

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April 14, 21, May 5, 1911
Round-Trip Rate from Boston, $28.50
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GETTYSBURG TOUR MAY 20
Fare from New York $13.00
Pennsylvania R.R.

State Street is more than usually interested in Europe at this time, because of the expectation that the people of that country will have more money they desire to invest in American securities.

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April disbursements, from what is known here, will be very large on the other side of the water, and it is intimated very strongly that the investment demand will be stimulated to more than an ordinary degree by the flotation of the loans. This is that this market will catch the overflow, which promises to be exceedingly heavy.

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Advices from London and financial centres on the Continent just received in the State say that the more important banking interests abroad are confident there will be a revival of commercial activity in the United States this Summer and Fall. They also feel that this will be accompanied, and perhaps preceded, by a rise in prices on the New York Stock Exchange, and everything indicates that they are right.

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In an attempt to account for the strength of Canadian Pacific, State Street dug up the purchase of 100,000 shares of stock from the Hudson Bay Company. This is not a new deal, but in the same sort of manner as in this column on March 13. The price of the stock was about $1,500,000, and about $1,380,000 as printed in the belated report of the company. Not only is the chief of the Canadian stocks strong, but its subsidiaries are being well purchased. Montreal Street is strong because of its large earnings. It is definitely understood that no dividend will be paid for another year, as the road, Central, as the earnings will be put back into the property by the Company for its management, which is in control. The Montreal Power Company is also favored. The belief is that the Canadian Pacific is not interfering with the management of the road, which is willing to reduce rates, as such a reduction would divert the bulk of the Canadian traffic to its lines and really mean an increase in earnings. The other roads will be the ones to oppose this reduction.

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The Wool Trust has a remarkable management, but not of the popular kind. It recently purchased nearly 100,000 shares of its own stock in the open market. Now State Street is anxious to know which ones of the stockholders knew in advance that the American Woolen Company had been converted into a discretionary pool. President Wood is quoted as saying that if Congress revises the wool tariff the company will close every woolen mill in the country and abandon its present plan of building a huge mill on the Pacific Coast. President Wood is correctly quoted, it might be a good idea for the company to carry out the threat, for such a statement, combined with the discretionary pool features recently injected into the concern, should be a warning to investors not to put their money into some other manufacturing enterprise.

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Rumors come of a close combination of the cement companies. Now that a very important influence against such a combination has died out, it is understood the price of cement will be advanced 5 cents a barrel at least in wholesale quantities. It is also understood there will be no question about the quality of cement furnished to the Panama Canal under the ill-fated contract made about a year ago. The deal will increase the profits of the Steel Trust.

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Telephone stock is being absorbed for investment purposes in considerable quantities. It is under remarkably good management, and with the aid of J. P. Morgan & Co. and Morgan interests it makes himself useful by buying up and absorbing personally or through big firm independent companies that it is not advisable for the time being for purposes. It all amounts to the same thing in the end, as Morgan is the dominating factor in the Telephone Trust.

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Announcement comes from Berlin that the entire Prussian State system of railroads will be electrified. This sounds like more than it really is, for only about 300 miles will be affected. The importance of the announcement lies in the fact that the movement is expected to extend to other roads in Europe and to increase greatly quantities of copper. The present low price of the metal is a most fortunate circumstance for business.

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Some of the railroad reports now coming in show the effect of the economies now in operation. The decrease in expenses in some cases is large, and in spite of a falling off in gross earnings there is an increase shown in the net. Many of the systems are doing now what was accomplished all through 1907, the possibility for them to do, which shows how even the automatic economies can be made to see things more clearly when the knife is applied from a higher source. It also serves to show that if the economies now in operation for the rate inquiry some of the roads would be their ergo the rate really was necessary. It is expected that their returns will show up better from now on.

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Warren, Gnowski & Co. have received official confirmation of the strike reported in this column on Wednesday on the Ashley Claim No. 2, near the Hollinger mine in Porcupine. At a depth of 75 feet a crosscut was run from the shaft 21½ feet and encountered a 22-inch vein of gold quartz, giving average assays of $70 a ton. The assays have been checked several times and the vein will now be being opened up in each direction. It has a northeasterly trend.

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The steadily increasing demand for Porcupine stocks on the Curb is conclusive evidence that the trading public is rapidly recognizing the possibilities of the new Canadian gold camp.

CHRYSANTHEMUM DAY AT THE FLOWER SHOW

This is Chrysanthemum Day at the flower show. A meeting of the Chrysanthemum Society of America was held at 10 o'clock and various subjects relating to flower culture were discussed. In the afternoon session of the National Sweet Pea Society, an address of welcome is delivered by President George Asmus. Professor A. C. Beal of Cornell delivers an address on "Trials of Sweet Peas Under Glass and Tested in the Experimental Station at Cornell University." During the day, The Florists Telegraph Delivery society held a business meeting.

PRESIDENT FRYE OF SENATE HAS GOUT

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The friends of Senator Frye of Maine were pained to learn that he has suffered a return of his old malady, gout of the right foot. In his enfeebled physical condition and with his advanced age this is regarded as very serious and may interfere with the Senator's plans for work during the approaching special session of Congress. Senator Frye, as president pro tempore of the Senate, presided over that body for many years, and has now served in the Senate longer than any other Senator in the history of the body.

19TH CHILD BORN TO WOMAN OF 39

CHICAGO, March 29.—The birth of her nineteenth child has been recorded in the Chicago Health Department by Mrs. John Addeco, wife of a laborer. She is only thirty-nine years old, and of the nineteen children sixteen are living.

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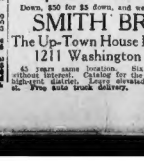

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CHAUFFEUR—Young man would like position with Mon. Fri. family; can run and care for car; driver, W. P. B., 29 Trent Park st., Boston, Mass.

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Boston Must Have No Fire Horror Like That in New York

There is a lesson for Boston and every other city in the carelessness and criminal neglect by which almost one hundred and fifty human beings were killed in New York's horrible factory fire.

The city officials of Boston have begun the work leading to THE PREVENTION OF ANY LIKE HORROR IN BOSTON. There should be no let up in the work until the possibility of such a dreadful occurrence in this city is ABSOLUTELY ELIMINATED. The citizens of Boston should themselves see to it that there is no let up until the lives of the city's workers are made safe.

In that dreadful fire everything was insured and protected except the bodies of those girls burned alive.

There was insurance on the building, insurance on the inflammable materials that made up the bonfire, plate glass insurance, casualty insurance to protect the owners if anyone got hurt in the elevator, employers' liability insurance to protect from damages the man that hired the girls in case one of them should get a hand caught in a machine.

Everything was well safeguarded there except the working girls and their families. They were left unprotected and the girls were killed.

How long are men to be allowed to put hundreds of girls to work in a fire trap, insure the trap against loss, and leave the girls to their fate?

Is it not criminal that a man should be allowed to lock up hundreds of young women in fireproof rooms, closed by iron doors, filled with materials as inflammable as straw, insure the materials and thus free his own mind from all worry about fire? If it had been impossible for that employer, as it should have been, to insure the contents of that death trap, would not he and his managers have been more vigilant in providing against fire? Should it not be made impossible for the owner of a hotel, a lodging house, a tenement, a factory or any other building where lives are in danger, to protect himself with insurance, and having no financial fear of a fire, to neglect precautions and spare expense that would mean safety?

If those girls were locked in, as they were, and deprived, as they were, of all chance to save their lives, the owners of the building, the employer of the girls, and the city that did not give them protection should be made responsible. Damage suits resulting in verdicts of a few millions would be welcomed in this case, and the more the city might have to pay the better. Such a tax might impress on taxpayers the importance of interesting themselves in city government and of selecting competent and honest city officials.

Man's Willingness to Work

What a fortunate thing it is that men want to work and like to live! Suppose for a moment that the out-of-work, hungry, unlucky creatures should suddenly change their character.

It is a harmless supposition, as it implies that a great body of good, though unlucky, men should be suddenly metamorphosed. But suppose, for instance, that one hundred thousand men should have a meeting and say:

"The State provides food, lodging and good care for every thief. It does not provide anything for us. Let us therefore accept the situation like philosophers and become thieves."

Suppose the hundred thousand men thereupon, very quietly, without any show of violence, should each proceed to steal something and then announce the intention to accept the consequences by pleading guilty. It would embarass the State and the reigning powers, would it not?

What could society do with a hundred thousand self-confessed thieves to take care of? It could not lock them up. It could not let them go. It could not nominally sentence them and have the Governor pardon them, because the hundred thousand would then proceed to steal something else.

What could be done? Nothing. There is no punishment save imprisonment for theft, and the wholesale thieves would ask for and demand punishment with the usual rations.

We think society is well balanced and that everything is ingeniously provided for.

So it is; but everything hinges on the extraordinary fact that the hungry, thin, common, shiftless, luckless man at the very bottom is still a MAN. He will not be a thief, and he will die of hunger and cold, as poor fellows do almost every Winter day, rather than take the food that society guarantees to the thief.

We attribute much to our own wisdom and the wisdom of our laws. But we owe almost everything to the instinct of self-preservation and to that second, very peculiar, instinct called pride.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

GREATEST GIFT TO MAN

Editor AMERICAN:

Mr. Howe asks: "What is true love?" True love is the greatest gift God has given to man. It is the pivot on which this earth revolves. It is wonderful in its far-reaching powers. It embraces the whole universe. God is the foundation of true love. When men meet the women they learn to love, they love them for different reasons—some of them for beauty of face and form, some for charm of manner, and others for goodness and truthfulness. Yet it is the Soul they seek to find, not physical beauty. The Soul speaks through the eyes, and the noblest and every motive is seen and made clear to the eyes of True Love, regardless of any form or beauty.

JUST A WOMAN.

Brockton, Mass.

DR. ELIOT'S LECTURE

Editor AMERICAN:

Having been a constant reader of your paper for a number of years, I would like to see one of your able editorials on Dr. Eliot's recent lecture in Cambridge wherein he says: "Slavery produces equality and declares the only way to secure uniform conditions is through a despotic form of government." I ask: Were the slaves equal to their master in the days of slavery? Are conditions uniform in countries that are ruled by a despotic government?

JOHN H. MARVIN.

Norwood, Mass.

MOTHS IN WATERTOWN

Editor AMERICAN:

What is done with the large sums of money appropriated for the purpose of destroying the nests of the brown tail and gypsy moths in the town of Watertown? All property owners are "supposed" to be compelled to either clean off the moth nests from their own trees or pay the town specially for cleaning them off for them; then, besides, all property owners must furnish the thousands of dollars specially appropriated to destroy the moths from the trees of the town. One has only to go to some of the outskirts of town to find the trees literally covered with the pests. For instance, the trees and shrubs along Warren street, along the street running parallel to and north of Warren street, in the adjacent grounds, and in Hillgetwin cemetery are most fruitful with the moths, only waiting for a few warm days to hatch out the accounts. Those opening a brown tail moth nest, the writer found the worms about one-quarter of an inch long, almost ready to crawl out. Are these left to make business and another year?

INQUIRER.

The Coblimeds of the Seasod

No, it is not a new language. On the contrary, it is a very familiar one just now, and it is funny if you are not speaking it yourself. Tom Powers has a scream on this and other signs of Spring in the big City Life Section of the next Sunday AMERICAN.

Sherlocko, the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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No Mystery Is Too Baffling for Him

MY HORSE HAS BEEN STOLEN IN BROAD DAY-LIGHT!
BRING YOUR GUN, WATSO,—WE MAY HAVE TO DEAL WITH A DESPERATE CHARACTER!
VERY TRUE!
MY DAUGHTER SAW A STRANGE MAN LEAD THE HORSE OUT, BUT SHE DIDN'T DARE INTERFERE!
THE CULPRIT WORE AN 8½ SHOE, RECENTLY HALF SOLED!
HE WAS IN NO HURRY TO GET AWAY, OTHERWISE HE WOULD HAVE RIDDEN THE HORSE INSTEAD OF LEADING IT!
HE TURNED ASIDE HERE TO ALLOW THE HORSE TO GRAZE. NO THIEF WOULD DO THAT!
SO HE WOULD, BY JOVE!
THAT'S ODD!
THERE GOES OUR HORSE INTO THAT LIVERY STABLE!
WE'LL GET HIM NOW!
WATSO, OUR OLD FRIEND BONE HEADO!
YOU BIG BOOB! I SENT YOU HOME FOR MY HORSE! WHERE DID YOU GET THAT OLD PLUG?
WHY—ER—GUESS I MUST HAVE GOT INTO THE WRONG STABLE!
MARVELOUS!
Gus Mager

The Hallroom Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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They Agree to Fight Fair. May the Best Man Win

REMEMBER NOW - HEREAFTER WE'VE AGREED TO QUIT KNOCKING EACH OTHER TO MISS PATRICIA. IT ONLY HELPS MAKE HOTBUNN MORE SOLID WITH HER TOO.
SURE! IT'S FOOLISH BUSINESS. GET ME A CAKE OF TAR SOAP WHILE YOU'RE OUT.
BY THE WAY, I'VE A FEW ERRANDS TO RUN.
1
HA HA! LUCKY I OVERHEARD MISS PATRICIA ARRANGING TO MEET MISS SPONDOOLIX AT "THE FOUNTAIN," IF IT COMES TO THE EARS OF THAT BOOB BROTHER OF MINE, HE CAN'T ACCUSE ME OF TRYING TO GET THE INSIDE TRACK OF HIM. SHOPPING, AND MET THE GIRLS ACCIDENTALLY. THAT'S ALL.
2
HE'S OUT OF THE WAY. NOW I'LL ACCIDENTALLY MEET THE GIRLS AT "THE FOUNTAIN". TEE-HEE I'M GLAD THAT MUTTONHEAD DIDN'T OVERHEAR THE CONVERSATION.
3
WELL-WELL-WELL! IF IT ISN'T MISS PATRICIA! WHAT? ALL ALONE?
I'M WAITING FOR MISS SPONDOOLIX.
4
HOW CAME YOU HERE?
ASK YOURSELF THE SAME QUESTION YOU BOOB!
5
HERE'S PATRICIA NOW. QUICK—WE'VE JUST TIME. MR. G. WHATAWAD IS TAKING US TO THE MATINEE.
WELL BOYS, I'LL HAVE TO LEAVE YOU.
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H. A. MacGill

The Real Humane Worker

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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THE people to whom the Christian world sends missionaries are astonished and puzzled to find the various sects of these followers of Christ quarrelling among themselves; the High Church with the Low Church, the Protestants with the Roman Catholics, the Liberals with the Methodists.

The residents of Japan are particularly curious regarding these quarrels, as they are educated, in their land, to think all quarrelling in a family an evidence of bad breeding—and they are educated by the missionaries to think Christians are one family.

In Japan the two religious denominations are the Buddhists and the Shintos. Their temples quite frequently are side by side; and, indeed, almost every Buddhist temple has a Shinto "annex," so to speak, and there is very easy amicable feeling between the two sects.

The Shinto people worship ancestors and date their origin back to the Sun Goddess, who is their ideal of a divine being. Almost the only principle included in this worship is one which gives utterance in the sentiment, "Never must we cause shame to our ancestors; it is our duty to give honor to our ancestors."

The Quarrelsome Spirit

Yet, alas! Many of the believers in Shinto do things which must cause shame to their ancestors, just as many Christians (by faith) do things which must reflect upon their dear Christ and bring discredit on their creed; and as many Buddhists go contrary to the teaching of their lord; but the quarrelsome spirit of the Christians among themselves is a continual subject of criticism in the Orient.

Envy and jealousy were severely condemned by Christ, yet His followers seem to indulge these unholy emotions without acknowledging them by their ugly names.

In religion, in philanthropy and in all kinds of reform and societies organized for the betterment of the race we find these devils of jealousy and envy showing their hideous faces.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is often at swords' points with the Humane Society in the same town. So bitter has been the antagonism that it has been known to create neighbor families and break up old friendships. The Sunshine societies and the King's Daughters, both formed to help and brighten the lives of the unfortunate, are not infrequently engaged in a war like unto the War of the Roses; and the vital forces, which should be conserved for the high purpose of the organization, are wasted in petty and ignoble bickerings and quarrels, all resulting from jealousy.

Makes the Angels Weep

Such a condition of things must make the angels weep.

It is impossible for one who has the real good of humanity at heart, the real sentiment of sympathy for animals and the real desire to evangelize the world, uppermost in the mind, to feel jealousy or intolerance of any other effort in the same line.

He who does feel enmity or even lacks the spirit of love for other workers in the same field is only seeking self glory.

He deceives himself if he imagines he is an earnest philanthropist or reformer. He is only a politician in disguise.

If one wants to lessen the cruelty in the world toward children and animals, why not feel heart and soul in sympathy with every other society or organization that is working toward that goal?

He who really wants to brighten the lives of "shut-ins" and give comfort to the sick and poor will instinctively say "God bless you" to every other worker in similar fields.

The Real Humane Worker

She who is a King's Daughter in very spirit will bless the Sunshiner, and, unless this feeling drives out any possible intrusive thought of jealousy toward other organizations, there is not the spirit of God or unselfish love of humanity, or sincere sympathy for animals, in the heart.

There is only a desire for self-aggrandizement and an ambition very like unto the ambition of a politician to succeed in some cherished aim.

For jealousy is of the devil, and can have no place in religion or philthropy.

The Diary of an Insurrecto

By WEX JONES

AROSE at an early hour this morning, owing to the sun's rays having been deflected into my eyes by a piece of mirror in the hands of a small boy. Having learned the small boy was also an Insurrecto—much to my sorrow—I did not shoot him, but instead woke up fully.

After a meagre breakfast, consisting of chile con carne, I advanced to my position as one of those attacking the railroad. We were supposed to be disguised as railroad ties, but so many of us were latent upon wrecking the line—owing to a rumor that some cars contained spaghetti—that the engineer at once detected something wrong.

Later, it was learned, he said to his fireman that he had never seen so many ties around one track before. He added, it was confirmed, that he had never before seen railroad ties trying to hide themselves behind boulders.

However, this turned out to be a mighty good subterfuge, since the engineer forgot all about the real ties, which we had piled up around a curve. When he ran into them, the train was derailed and began to run along smoothly.

This enabled the train crew and the cars to escape us, and, the cars with food being gone, we devoted our entire attention to sleeping.

Having slept for not more than ten or twelve hours, I was aroused by a loud bombardment, which I soon discovered came from one of our own guns. Previously we had been afraid to fire it, lest the affair might explode, but this time it was emitting almost diabolical noises.

Hastily I, being the most devoted patriot, rushed out and silenced the cannon by wrapping a sock around it.

The officer in charge explained that he was repulsing the organized Diaz troops with the aid of the cannon, but I soon made him understand that we must sleep.

Awakened this morning and arose as I expected to a large dish of frijoles. Found that we had been captured during the night and that the Government forants had determined to feed us almost entirely upon what air might come through the small window.

This barbarous treatment, especially when I remembered the free breakfasts we used to have, forced me to break out of jail and induce my brother to join the insurrectos. Thus reinforced, I easily obtained the victory, and after that the only necessary qualification of an insurrecto was to be able to eat at any time and in any amount.

NOT ONE MAN WAS REJECTED.

Imagine my horror later to discover that the insurgents were quartering their men as a rule on their most earnest supporters and free of charge at that!

I am now in favor of reform, rebellion or whatever it is, by suffrage.

Little Bobbie

He Writes About A Very Wise Man

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

HUSBAND, sed Ma, there is a awful wise man coming up to the house tonight with his wife. He is a A B & A B A & all them other seekret lodges. His wife tonld me that he was the smartest man which she had ever met. Wait till you see him.

I dount know that I am so keen to see any of them B A fellers, sed Pa. I met one of them once & he got ten off me. I dident mind the ten he got, sed Pa, but it was the easy way he got it. He got it before I had time to think, & what made it worse, Pa sed to Ma, was the way he gave the Harvard yell the minnit that he had my two (2) fives tucked in his pocket.

Jest then the wise man & his wife enim & Ma interdiced him to Pa. Husband, Ma sed, this is Mister & Missus Craig. Mister Craig used to be a Bachelor of Arts.

Mister Craig was a awful funny looking littel man. His body was very small, & his hed was as big as a punkin. There wasent much hair on it, either.

I am glad to know you, Mister Craig, sed Pa, my wife has tonld me that you are a deep student of human nature & the deep problems which confronts us as we journey along & live by the way.

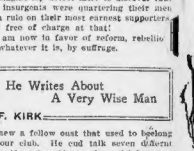
Well, sed Mister Craig. He is certingly, full of problems, sum of wich vexes eeven the most astute minds. For instans, sed Mister Craig, where do we kum from & whither we go. Wich one of us knows how many planets surrounds all them stars which is studding the firmament, sed Mister Craig. Is it not marvelous?

That doesn't seem so marvelous to me, sed Pa. I dont never know who is going to win the fourth race at Juarez. I have trubbels enuff on my own planet, sed Pa, & dont have to go to other worlds looking for my sorrows, deer me, no.

But husband, sed Ma, wait till Mister Craig tells you about his studies in Latin & Greek. It is all very interesting. He was telling his wife & me all about it up to the house the other nite, Ma sed, & it made me wish that I was a fin-guist.

I dount care to be a fin-guist, sed Pa, I I knew a fellow ounst that used to belong to our club. He cud talk seven differnt langwidges & cudent order a drink in any one of them. The grate thing about any langwidge, as I take it, sed Pa, is to be abel to put it to sum good purpose.

But, my dear sir, sed Mister Craig, it is only through a mastery of the lan-



guages that we becum masters of our destiny. In other words, Mister Craig sed, eether we are or we arent. Now I think I shall have to be going, if you and yu good wife & littel son do not mind. T morrow I have to dredver a lecture at t Highbrow College & I want to keep i brane clear.

Then, sed Pa, I hoap that you wont stop anywhere on the way hoam. Never if you are a B A, sed Pa, sumthing seems to tell me that two small illushuns wud crab your lecture. A cuspot of lettres like B A doesnt mak a hero, sed Pa. Heroes are born, not made.

What Milady Is Going to Wear

Not what she has worn or what she is nearly through wearing, but what she is going to wear, is what you find in the fashion pages of the Sunday AMERICAN. Its st[illegible]re the most authoritative and up to the minute to be found in any [illegible]per, and they are splendidly illustrated.